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EIGHT KILLED.

Colored Men Fight on Sandy Fork Over Game of Cards.

Kentucky Trust Company Assigns—Gov Bradley's Bold Stand—Wilmington Attorney Indicted for Murder—Ohio Appointments Soon to Be Made—General Booth Arrives.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Middllesboro, Ky., Jan. 15.—A special from Hyden says the fight on Sandy Fork, in Leslie county, Va., continued all day yesterday. Eight colored men were killed and four seriously wounded. Farther fighting is expected. The fight started over cards.

KENTUCKY TRUST CO.

Assigns as Result of Crookedness of Former Manager Reinecke.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 15.—The Kentucky Trust company assigned today to the Columbia Finance and Trust company. The trouble began with the flight and alleged speculations of Vice President and General Manager William Reinecke. A letter has been received from Reinecke admitting he used the money illegally, but saying it did not profit him. Losses came through speculations in the Alabama coal lands. It is said he had gone to never return.

M'MILLAN DEAD.

Clifford Martin, Prominent Wilmington Attorney, to Be Indicted for Murder.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Wilmington, O., Jan. 15.—Geo. McMillan, who was shot October 9th by Clifford Martin, a prominent attorney, died today, after fourteen weeks' suffering. The grand jury now in session will indict Martin. He says self-defense will be his plea.

Confirmed by Gov. Bradley.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 25.—The senate confirmed Gov. Bradley's appointment of Dr. B. F. Porter, colored, as third assistant physician at Lakeland aslyum, notwithstanding the diverse report of the committee on charitable institutions. His competency was the ground of support. The vote was 25 to 7.

Ohio Plums Soon to Fall.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—Many applicants in Ohio having been held back, there is every appearance of a deluge of Ohio applicants in Washington in a few days.

General Booth Arrives.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

New York, Jan. 15.—Gen. William Booth, leader of the Salvation Army, arrived from England today.

All Quiet at Havana.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—The Spanish minister's advices from Havana report all quiet there. No advices were received from Gen. Lee up to noon. A dispatch late last night said all was quiet and places of amusement open.

White Squadron May Sail Tomorrow.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Norfolk, W., Va., Jan. 15.—It is said the White Squadron will not sail before tomorrow. The New York, Massachusetts and Iowa are receiving subsistence stores off Old Point.

Service Declared Void.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

New York, Jan. 15.—Judge Lacombe has granted a motion to declare void the service in the libel suit brought by Brewer against the Commercial-Tribune and other Western papers because service was obtained on their advertising agents in New York.

Favors Change of Civil Service Laws.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—It has been found that of 202 Republican members in the house, a majority of eighteen to forty are favorable to a change in the civil service law.

Deposit of Cement.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

St. Helena, Montana., Jan. 15 — A deposit of natural cement in large quantities and of superior quality has been found near here. It can be easily prepared for shipment.

John A. Gano Dead.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 15.—John A. Gano died today from a complication of kidney diseases. He was a well known citizen and formerly one of the owners of the Cincinnati Commercial.

Markets.

By Telegraph to THE TIMES.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 1.—Wheat, 91½; corn, 26½; oat, 22¼.
Toledo.—Wheat, 91.

Half price on all caps at Lehman's.

MENS SOCIAL

At Second Presbyterian Church Proves Entertaining and Instructive.

The men's social held at the Second Presbyterian church last evening was not largely attended on account of the inclement weather and the many other entertainments. Those who attended found the program entertaining and instructive. These socials will be held every Friday evening and are independent of the church, not church socials. A committee was appointed to arrange programs for future meetings. Prof. Graham, of Graham's Business college, delivered an interesting address on "Christian Education." Edgar F. Draper will address the next meeting. Subject, "Building Associations." These socials are for men only and are for social and intellectual improvement.

THAT ELK PRIZE.

Mr. W. A. McFarlin Has a Case of Now You See It and Now You Don't on Hands.

Mr. W. A. McFarlin, who won the gentleman's prize at the Elk card party last evening, is much concerned over the mysterious disappearance of the prize—a handsome scarf-pin. After the prizes had been awarded McFarlin passed the prize around for inspection and unlike the cat of the song, it never came back. Now McFarlin says this was the first prize he ever won in his life and he thinks it was a dirty mean trick to deprive him of his honorably won scarf-pin. He hopes that the party who has the pin will relent and return it and receive forgiveness and a cigar.

SPRINGVILLE SKIFF THIEVES.

Five Skiffs Stolen in One Night And Only One Recovered, That Being Found Hid Away in a Field.

Within the last few days several skiffs have been stolen from Springville. Five were taken in one night. They belonged to John Bolander, Bert Stockham, Newt Stone, Albert Taylor and Geo. Biggs. Only one of them has ever been recovered, that belonging to Mr. Stockham being found in a field about two miles down the river. It was covered over with straw.

Bought 50,000 Bushels of Corn.

H. S. Grimes today purchased 6,000 bushels of corn from Belden Nichols. In the last fifteen days Mr. Grimes has purchased 50,000 bushels of corn, paying 25 cents.

A Painful Injury.

George Daum, the butcher, accidentally hit his hand with a meat leaver today, splitting his hand and thumb open.

G. A. R. Meeting.

There will be a meeting of Bailey Post, G. A. R., Monday evening.
CREED MLSTEAD, Commander.
D. P. RATT, Adjutant.

Going to California.

Richard Damron, of Siloam, leaves Monday for California. He may conclude to go on to Klondike.

Took Everything In Sight.

Dillonvale, O., Jan. 15.—A gang of robbers and bunco men of Wheeling visited this town and Long Run and took everything in sight. They left not even a clew.

Result of Jealousy.

Cincinnati, Jan. 15.—Louis Alfeld, a printer on a morning newspaper, shot his sweetheart, Minnie Packner, and then killed himself. Jealousy was the cause.

Eyesight Destroyed.

Washington C. H., O., Jan. 15.—Concentrated lye splashed into Mrs. Frank Jamison's eyes, destroying the sight of one and badly injuring the other.

Sued For Damages.

Bellefontaine, O., Jan. 15.—William H. Colehose has sued J. S. Maxwell of Columbus for $5,000 for alienating the affections of Mrs. Colehose.

Chloroformed by Burglars.

Ohio City, O., Jan. 15.—Burglars chloroformed Mr. and Mrs. Hooverman and ransacked the house, securing $36 in money and checks.

Young Girl Missing.

Brecksville, O., Jan. 15.—The 16-year-old daughter of Joseph Gorbach disappeared two weeks ago and no trace of her can be found.

Jones Hanged In Effigy.

Wilmot, O., Jan. 15.—Representative John P. Jones was hanged in effigy because he refused to cast his vote for Senator Hanna.

Shot Through the Stomach.

Circleville, O., Jan. 15.—While butchering hogs John N. Hood accidentally shot himself through the stomach and will die.

Result of a Rat Bite.

Bryan, O., Jan. 15.—Samuel Smith, an aged resident, is seriously ill as the result of a rat bite received some time ago.

Death of Frank E. Moore.

Delaware, O., Jan. 15. — Frank E. Moore, 65, who started Thomas A. Edison on a useful career, is dead.

FAVORS REPUBLIC

Form of Italian Government May Be Changed.

THE VATICAN IS ANXIOUS FOR IT.

"Co-Existence of the Vatican and the Italian Monarchy Is Impossible and One of Them Must Go," Says an Inspired Article Which Must Create a Profound Sensation Throughout Italy.

Rome, Jan. 15.—An article inspired by the vatican and the pope advocates as the solution of the eternal question between the vatican and the quirinal the establishment of an Italian republic.

The article, which is based on the pope's Christmas allocution, declares that the thing which stands opposed to papal independence is not Italian unity, but "the special and concrete form wherein that unity is at present maintained, with results much more disastrous to the state than to the holy see."

It proceeds to assert that the coexistence of the vatican and the Italian monarchy is impossible, and that one or the other must go. It then suggests the constitutions of Switzerland and America as examples of "admirable and glorious constitutions, true unities of nation and state, though differing from that of Italy, which has produced nothing but weakness, misery and starvation."

Without the aid of foreign bayonets the true Italy will find for itself its own way and will rise from the ignominy in which it now lies prostrate to true greatness.

This is "an intentional revelation to the outer world of the policy actuating the inner mind of Cardinal Rampolla" (papal secretary of state).

Probably there would be no truth in the supposition that either Cardinal Rampolla or the pope has any idea of even a temporary alliance with the Republican party, but yet they believe that while peace with the king is impossible, it might be possible with a republic.

The reason for the appearance of this astounding pronouncement at the present moment is the belief that not only the ministry, but the dynasty itself is menaced more seriously than usual.

A Narrow Escape.

Valley View, Ky., Jan. 15.—General Cassius M. Clay's young wife, Dora, barely escaped death at the hands of her brother, Clell Richardson, at whose house she has been boarding ever since she left the general two months ago. Richardson fired two shots at her with a large pistol at a distance of 20 paces, and then fired a shot at Mrs. John Bryant, his mother-in-law, who was with Mrs. Clay.

Trouble Has Begun.

Chicago, Jan. 15. — Trouble has already arisen over the rates made by the lines of the Western Passenger association for the meetings of the National Association of Merchants and Travelers. The Missouri, Kansas and Texas has announced that it believes that the arrangements as at present constituted will tend to work a discrimination in favor of Chicago.

Bucket Shops Raided.

New York, Jan. 15.—The police raided the Standard company, the Public Stock and Grain Exchange, and also an office kept by D. R. Hobart. It is alleged that these concerns are all bucket shops. About 25 or 30 prisoners were captured, including one woman.

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J. L. PATTERSON, Editor and Manager

Nor is this all that Scioto county did. Its delegation of business men was the first and one of the most important that appeared on the scene of action.—Blade.

What delegation does Mr. Hard refer to? We saw but few business men in the delegation, and the fact that a donation of one hundred dollars was made by a single individual to pay the expenses of "the delegation of business men" would indicate that the "business men" were very impecunious or were at this particular time engaged in holding down a store box in some corner grocery or blacksmith shop, instructing the proprietor how to get rich.

In the great battle for Republicanism which has just been waged, the party should not forget its debt of great gratitude to those who upheld its honor and won it the victory. Among the leaders none were more prominent and more able than Hon. A. C Thompson, Secretary of State Kinney and Philo S. Clark, of the state executive committee.—Blade.

There is a peculiar sensitive spot in the average gangster when the past is referred to. They turn at once to the familiar quotation from Longfellow. "Let the dead past bury its dead." Most people think Thompson, Kinney and Clark should have some gratitude for the honors and emoluments heaped upon them in the past. It would seem to the average citizen that these gentlemen owe the party something, rather than that the balance is on the other side. There are good Republicans in Scioto county that have worked for the party day in and day out, who have never yet received even a post of honor, let alone an office of profit. Most people think it would be proper for these gentlemen to remain in the walks of private life.

The editor of the Blade finds no words sufficiently condemnatory to express his contempt for the followers of Foraker who did not fall upon their knees before the throne of Marcus Aurelius Hanna. Had we advocated Hanna and escaped the Waterloo that hung over his head for the past three months, we would be quiet just now. Marcus is not yet entirely out of the woods. One of Hard's editorials says:

"There are in each community a small handful of men who sympathize with Messrs. Kurtz and Bushnell, and who are disappointed at their failure. All thoughtful, earnest Republicans know that such men are themselves disloyal and will shun their counsel and decline their self-offered leadership. There are no doubt some such in this county. Fellowship with them will not lead to party honor or contribute to the party welfare. The Republican party should only affiliate with and follow those whose fidelity and loyalty is above suspicion. Let us have an end of party disloyalty—state and local."

We are, no doubt, in a better position to give Mr. Hard information than most people, and we desire to whisper in his ear the fact that there are several hundred such men—Scioto county men—whose independence will resent the arrogant assumptions of the gang in this county. The friends of these men are applicants for positions now preempted by Clark & Co. When Mr. Hard reads these men out of the party by advising gangsters not to recognize or associate with them in the future, he may be serving the interest of Clark & Co., but he is not preparing a bed of roses for the party in Scioto county. The opponents of the Hanna gang in this county are men of honor and ability and determination. All they need is a leader whom they are willing to follow. Abundant material presents itself with which to rout the gang locally. Hard is working diligently for his masters, but the circulation of his paper indicate the position of the people on the question of gangism and anti-gangism.

The Catholic Columbian calls attention in its editorial columns to McKinley's woes. It says:

"The worst affronts that have recently been offered to President McKinley, and through him to the American people, who naturally feel injured when their chief magistrate is unwarrantably assailed, have come to him from members of his own religious household.

"It was his own pastor who set the Methodist Episcopal preachers who have affronted the President of late days the vicious and very reprehensible example which two of them have since publicly imitated. Dr. Johnston's boorish insult to Mr. McKinley, perpetrated when he in common with the whole country was engaged in thanking God for the blessings showered upon the land during the previous twelve months, was, a few Sundays afterwards upheld and repeated in the President's own church by a Methodist Episcopal bishop, who came all the way from Oregon to renew the insult. Now another Methodist Episcopal preacher, probably influenced by the evil example set him by the aforesaid two worthies down in Connecticut, has issued a pamphlet wherein the President is charged with 'holding saloon property and serving alcoholic liquors at his table, in scorn of his church and contempt of the public schools"; declared to have 'done more to stultify conscience in the great (Prohibition) reform than any one man has ever done or been capable of doing,' and is informed in not over polite language, that there will be hard lines for him to gain entrance into the kingdom of heaven.

"President McKinley, although by no means inexperienced in the amenities of political warfare, is probably more or less sensitive to attacks upon his character that emanate from the pulpit of his own denomination. Parson Johnston's diatribe, it is said, so vexed him that he thought seriously of discontinuing worship at the church wherein that preacher holds forth; and should he, in consequence of the continued affronts that are being offered him by members of his own religious household, sever his relations with the Methodist Episcopal church, there are few people who would feel disposed to blame him."

The following is not peculiar to Pike county, but is a product of spoils The Watchman gives it in quite an interesting style. This M. D. is, no doubt, a pension examiner. The Watchman says:

"It is said that one of our government officials, who has M. D. attached to his name, "done Governor Bushnell up" in great shape one day last week and consigned his remains to a receptacle at the rear end of his garden For some time, it seems, the aforesaid M. D had a large sized portrait of Ohio's noble business governor hanging in a conspicuous place on the walls of his office and that it was his greatest delight to gaze on the smiling countenance of our popular "biz Guv" and point out the prominent points in his phiz that denoted uprightness of purpose, decision, strength of character, firmness, intellect, shrewdness, purity, nobility, justness and christianity. This happy state of affairs continued up to last Sunday when it became generally known that Bushnell was foremost in the fight against St. Mark, the apostle of boodle Republicanism when a mighty change came over the spirit of the M. D.'s dreams. Now, be it known, the aforesaid M. D. was an original Bushnell man and stood loyally by him in his recent contest when his enemies undertook to "do him," but when the time came that the M. D. had to choose between his idol and master he cast his fortunes with the boss of the spoils and assumed a threatening attitude toward our noble Christian governor.

Shortly after this, on going into his office, it is said that the M. D. grew furious on catching sight of Bushnell's countenance from its accustomed place on the wall, and with the murderous cry of "Die, Traitor!" hissing through his tightly set teeth he seized the portrait of Ohio's noble b. g., and dashed it to the floor, where in his blind rage he stamped and spit upon it and kicked it about the room until there was not enough of it remaining together to tie up a dose of quinine. After venting his wrath to his heart's content on the poor, defenseless portrait, the M. D, it is said, gathered up the fragments and threw it in the back yard.

How much of this story is true we are unable to say, but it is going the rounds all the same and must have some foundation. We are happy to say though that our noble business governor still lives, moves and has his being, and was on last Monday again crowned ruler of the great commonwealth of Ohio with great pomp and grandeur and Col. Barger chief in command of the ceremonies.

The word costermonger was originally costardmonger—that is, apple seller. His noisy manners were commented upon in Queen Elizabeth's day. There are now over 30,000 costers in London.

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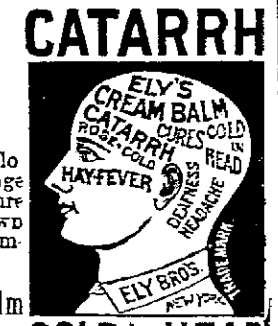

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* 2:49 p. m.	* 7:10 a. m.
† 7:15 p. m.	* 2:05 p. m.
*12:06 p. m.	† 2:40 p. m.

C. P. & V. R. R.

Leave	Arrive
† 6:05 a. m.	*12 05 p. m.
* 2:00 p. m.	† 8:55 p. m.

N. & W. R. R.

North bound	East bound
* 5:15 a. m.	†10:55 a. m.
† 4:42 p. m.	† 3:42 p. m.
†10:28 a. m.	*11:10 p. m

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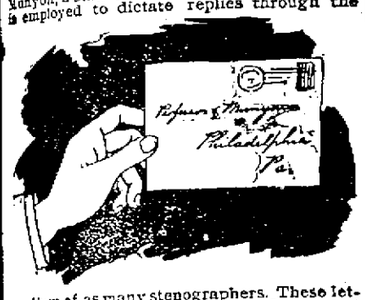

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The regular annual meeting of The Portsmouth Gas and Electric Company for the election of Directors to serve during the ensuing year will be held at their office on West Second street on the third Monday in January, 1898, (January 17) between the hours of one (1) and three (3) p. m.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

Bigelow M. E.

Corner Washington and Fifth streets, M. W. Acton, pastor. Sunday school at 8:45 a. m.; preaching at 10:30 a. m. Topic, "In His Name." Class at 2:30 p. m.; Epworth League at 6 p. m.; preaching at 7 p. m. Topic, "What Destroys the Nation?" The public is invited to worship with us.

Sixth Street M. E.

Services tomorrow (Sunday) as follows: Sabbath school at 9 a. m.; morning service at 10:30; Junior League at 2; Epworth League at 6; people's service at 7. The Rev. Thomas S. Robjent will preach morning and evening, his subjects being: Morning, "The Tears and Smiles of God Over Our Modern Cities." Evening, monthly sermon to young men and women, "What to Read, or Modern Literature and the Power of the Press." A hearty welcome to all.

First Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian church, southwest corner of Third and Court streets, Rev. D. S. Tappan, D. D., pastor; Dr. C. P. Dennis, Sunday school superintendent. Sabbath school at 8:45 a. m.; 10:30 a. m., communion service and reception of new members. As far as possible it is hoped that every member of the church will be present at this service. 7 p. m, preaching by the pastor. Subject, "A Gracious Answer." Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to strangers and to all who have no church home.

Second Presbyterian.

Corner Eighth and North Waller streets, Rev. S. B. Alderson, D. D., pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m., standard time. Morning subject, "The Soul Saving Service; Heaven and Earth Equipped for the Rescue." Evening subject, "How to Get the Christ Life Into the Soul." Sunday school at 8:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6 p m.

German Presbyterian.

Corner Seventh and Chillicothe streets, J. A. Toensmeier, pastor. Sunday school at 8:30 a. m., Mr. Adam Young, superintendent. Junior Endeavor at 2 p. m.; Senior Endeavor at 6 p. m., Mr. Julius Hoertel, leader. German service at 10 a. m. English service at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Christian.

Corner Third and Gay streets, W. A. Harp, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m.; Young People's meeting at 5:45 p. m. Evangelistic services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m Rev. Updike will preach morning and night. Morning subject, "Is Prayer Answered?" Evening subject, "Brains and Christianity." Prof. Easton has arranged for excellent music. He will sing several beautiful solos. At night he will sing "The Holy City." All are urged to hear these evangelists. Seats free.

First Congregational Church.

Findlay street, between Ninth and Tenth, W. H. Baker, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6 p. m.; Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m; preaching services at 10:15 and 7 p. m. The public installation of the new church officers will occupy part of the morning services, which will be especially adapted to such a occasion. The text of the evening sermon will be "Make the Men Sit Down." Services will be continued throughout the week. All are cordially invited to all these services.

United Brethren.

Corner Seventh and Gay streets Sunday school at 9 a. m.; morning service at 10:30. Subject, "Our Fathers, Where Are They?" Y. P. C. U. at 6 p. m., Jno. Prior, leader. Evening service at 7 p. m. Subject, "The Price." Our revival meeting will continue next week. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these meetings. J. E. Comer, pastor.

Free Will Baptist.

Corner of Hutchins and Robinson avenues, Rev. Thos. E. Peden, pastor. Peaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Prayer For a Revival." Evening, "Final Perseverance." Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m., Dennis Coriell, superintendent. A. C. F., 6:15 p. m., Frank Rogers, president.

Allen Chapel, A. M. E.

East Seventh street. Sunday school at 9 o'clock, J. H. Scott, superintendent; At 10 a. m., Mrs. M. S. Smith, the widely known evangelist (colored) will speak. At 12:30, class meeting; also at 2:30 p. m. Preaching at 7 o'clock by the lady conducting revival services continued this past week. It is one of power. The altar of consecration is most wonderful. All invited.

Mr. Simmons' Ambition.

There is a rumor out that Hon. "Jack" Simmons is a candidate for his old office of United States marshal for the Southern Ohio district It is hardly probable, however, that Mr. Simmons will land the plum.

Our Readers Eager for This Chance.

Here is a chance for the sick and suffering to consult the most successful physician of this century, Dr. Greene, 148 State St, Chicago, Ill His record of wonderful cures is unequaled and unrivaled, and he offers to give all free consultation by letter. If you are out of heatlh, write this great specialist about your complaint. It costs you nothing and he will explain just what ails you, and without doubt make you well and strong again.

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AN OTHER WEBB.

"That Fellow That Looks Like Me," Not in It Now.

One tangled Webb who several days ago got tangled up with some meat that was not his own, or on which he had no lien—not lean meat—has caused no end of trouble. If the guilty Henry Webb had known how many good Henry Webbs there are in town he would certainly have gone over to Kentucky and killed a bear or drove a live hog far into the wilderness and killed it far from the haunts of men by the name of Henry Webb. Night before last Henry Webb, of Cuppett & Webb, wanted it understood that he was not in the business of purloining pork, and now comes another Henry webb, who works in the Excelsior shoe factory, and says he "never stole dat hog," and he didn't. Now, if there are any other Henry Webbs who get their pork legitimately let them now speak or forever hold their peace—even if it be a piece of pork.

IN THE SOUTHERN LEAGUE

Albert Lautenback, of This City, Will Play This Coming Season.

Albert Lautenback, the ball player, who has played in Maysville, Knoxville and this city and who is now located at 1022 Chillicothe street, this city, has signed a contract to play with the Charleston, South Carolina, club this coming season. The Charleston club is in the Southern league. Mr. Lautenback, accompanied by his wife and child, will leave the middle of next month for Charleston, where they will make their home. Lautenback is recognized as one of the cleverest shortstops in amateur circles in this section and he will undoubtedly make his mark.

Stacking Old Lumber.

John Brushart and N. A. Brokaw, who bought the old Davis distillery building, are tearing the same down and stacking the old lumber on a vacant lot on Gallia street. In the near future they expect to erect some new building and work in the old material.

GAINED SIX POUNDS.

Has John Eck Since He Became a Resident of El Paso, Texas.

C. M. Dressler has received an interesting letter from John Eck, who is now in El Paso Texas, for his health. John says that Texas is a great country and the climate is all right and that he has gained six pounds since he has been there. He says that it is very warm in El Paso and as an example cited the case of a friend who went in to get a glass of beer. He set the beer down to talk to a friend and when he turned around in a few minutes, the beer had evaporated.

Why Not Marshall Schmitt Too.

As reward for his part in running down the brass thief, Allensworth, Marshal Mittlehauser of Ironton has been given an annual pass on the C. & O. What's the matter with the C. & O. remembering our own Marshal Schmitt? To him belongs the credit of heading off Allensworth. The Ironton marshal never would have caught the thief had it not been for Marshal Schmitt.

Dividend of Eight Per Cent. Declared

The Portsmouth German Building and Loan association elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Ph. Zoellner, president; F. C. Daehler, vice-president; Edgar F. Draper, secretary and treasurer, and Harry W. Miller, solicitor. The annual dividend of eight per cent has been declared. The German is one of the city's most reliable institutions.

No Quorum.

Four members of the board of education were present at the high school building last night to attend the regular meeting of the board. A quorum not being present they adjourned. An $800 schedule will have to go over until next meeting. Those present last night were Messrs. Doty, Kline, Knowles and Bannon.

Judge Dawson Seriously Ill.

Judge J. M. Dawson is confined to his home on Gallia street very seriously ill. He was reported somewhat better today, but is still in a critical condition

A Thirst For Knowledge.

The country clergyman was nailing a refractory creeper to a piece of trellis work near his front gate when he noticed that a small boy stopped and watched him with great attention. "Well, my young friend," he said, pleased to see the interest he excited, "are you looking out for a hint or two on gardening?" "No," said the youth, "I be waiting to see what a parson do say when he hammers his thoomb."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Scratch, scratch, scratch; unable to attend to business during the day or sleep during the night. Itching piles—horrible plague. Doan's Ointment cures. Never fails. At any drug store, 50 cents.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

Manager Grimes has succeeded in making an arrangement with James Young by which that popular actor will appear in this city two nights—Tuesday and Wednesday. Tuesday night he will present the popular comedy, "The Love of David Garrick." Wednesday night he will appear in "The Merchant of Venice." This will be one of the banner engagements of the season.

Van Dyke & Eaton close their week's engagement at the Grand opera house tonight. The company has played to splendid business this week. Prices 10, 20 and 30 cents.

The "Shore-Acres" company comes to Portsmouth January 24th from Dayton. They have contracted to come over the O. P. & V. After the performance the company goes back to Cincinnati.

Mr. Young will give a special performance of "The Merchant of Venice" next Wednesday night at the Grand. Miss Rida Louise Johnson, his leading lady, who is well known to many of the residents of Portsmouth, will play the difficult part of "Portia." Her conception of this character is acknowledged to be remarkably clear, and she has been the recipient of many congratulations for her splendid work in this great character. Mr. Young's support in Shakesperian plays is considered to be quite as good as it is in comedy. This rising young star, who will next Tuesday night play "David Garrick" at the Grand opera house, has a record which few stars can boast of. Throughout his tour during the present season not a single critic has been able to find one weak point in the various roles which he assumes.

He includes in his repertoire such plays as "Hamlet," "The Merchant of Venice," "David Garrick" and, "Beau Brummel." The management have out of these selected "David Garrick" for the opening night, in that it is a comedy full of amusing incidents and has been spoken of by the press in the various towns in which Mr. Young has appeared as being one of the cleverest comedies ever witnessed.

Organ Society Meeting.

The Organ society of Christ church (Episcopal) will meet at the residence of Mrs. S. R. Ross, Court street, on Tuesday, January 18th, from 2 till 5 p. m. All the members and their friends are cordially invited. 15-2t

Officers of Scioto Lodge.

Scioto Lodge of Odd Fellows elected and installed the following officers last night: Frank Lynn, noble grand; Henry Kress, vice grand; D. L Webb, secretary; Wm. H. Rhodes, financial secretary and Geo. H. Staten, treasurer.

A PLAGUE OF THE NIGHT

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Many physicians for a long time supposed that the remarkable relief afforded by the Pyramid Pile Cure was because it was supposed to contain cocaine, opium or similar drugs, but such is not the case. A recent careful analysis of the remedy showed it to be absolutely free from any cocaine, opium, or in fact any poisonous, injurious drugs whatever.

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If suffering from any form of piles ask your druggist for a package of Pyramid Pile Cure and try it tonight.

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The Times Publishing Company will furnish transportation to Washington, D. C, and return and one week's entertainment at a leading hotel of the Capital City, to the teacher, shoeworker, or other person not in either of the e classes, who receives the largest number of votes; and transportation to Washington, D. C. and return to the one receiving the next highest number of votes. The person winning the first prize may take any one of the Times Carriers he may choose at the expense of the Times Pub. Co.

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Beauty lies less in the features than in the condition and expression of the face. The Creator has endowed every woman with beauty, and every woman in good health, who is of a cheerful nature, is beautiful and comely to look upon. A clear, fresh, wholesome look is the result of the possession of good health, and no woman can be beautiful and attractive without good health. The dull, dead, gnawing pain, the sense of nervousness, weakness, oppression and discouragement, the tired, listless, languid feeling, the shooting pains, the aching head, the pain in the back, all these are symptoms of a disordered system, and all these are beauty killers, producers of dull, leaden complexions, unnatural flushings, dark circles under the eyes, black heads, lustreless eyes and other disfigurements which divest women of their natural gift of beauty. Why be homely when you can be beautiful and attractive? Get good health and with it those looks and attributes which attract, please and fascinate. It is within your power to do so, for it is within every woman's power to be well and strong, and hence look her best, if she will use Dr. Greene's Nervura to give her strong, vigorous nerves, pure, rich blood, a clear complexion, and thus restore the energies and vitality of sound and perfect health.

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Mrs. Mary Francis Lytle, of 2 Hunter Alley, Rochester, N. Y., says:

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Mrs. William Bartels, 239 East 87th Street, New York City, says:

"Dr. Greene's Nervura made a wonderful improvement in my health, and that dark, sallow look left my face. My friends hardly knew me. I have gained in flesh and am like a different person."

Mrs. C. S. Allen, of 128 Pearl St., Portland, Me., says:

"There was hardly any more color in my face and hands than in chalk. Dr. Greene's Nervura made me well, and restored my natural color and complexion."

Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, of 236 Hartwell's Avenue, Providence, R. I. says:

"My face broke out with pimples, and I was almost giving up in despair when I got Dr. Greene's Nervura. Now I am well and strong, thanks to this wonderful remedy."

Mrs. S. R. Berry, of Lebanon, N. H., writes:

"Dr. Greene's Nervura has done wonders for me. I am strong again, and have got back my former looks and good color. A doctor met me a few days ago and said that I was doing wonderfully, that my eyes were bright, and that I looked well."

These are only a few of the thousands upon thousands of women who owe their present health and strength, and consequently their beauty, vivacity and enjoyment of life to the timely use of Dr. Greene's Nervura, and if the reader is wise, she will not hesitate or delay using this really wonderful remedy, this great natural boon to womankind.

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SOCIAL.

The Elks Give Another Delightful Card Party.

Important Meeting of the Ladies' Musicale Yesterday Afternoon.

And Elect Their Officers for the Ensuing Year—Delightful Treat Given Friends by the Woman's Literary Club Yesterday Evening at All Saints Chapel—Mr. Willis Irwin's Charming Impersonations—Other Social Events.

The Elk party given at the lodge rooms last evening was one of the most enjoyable of the season. There were about sixty guests present, fifty-two of them taking their seats at the card tables. Twenty games of progressive euchre were played. Mrs. Eugene Anderson was awarded ladies' first prize, receiving a pretty bullion spoon, while W. L. McFarlin received a handsome scarf pin as the gentleman's first prize. Two lone-hand prizes were also given, these being eagerly contested for. They were box seats to the James Young performance Tuesday night. They were awarded to Miss Flo McConnell, who played six lone hands, and Hon. Jas. W. Newman, who had nine lone hands. An elegant luncheon was served. The committee in charge consisted of Hon. and Mrs. Jas. W. Newman, Mr and Mrs. H. S. Grimes and Mr. and Mrs. U. P. H. Harsha. They were assisted by Misses Kate and Nell McConnell, Jennie Lewis and Laura Richardson

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It was indeed a delightful treat that the members of the Woman's Literary club gave to their friends and to themselves yesterday evening. As was announced the executive committee had arranged to have present upon this occasion—the date set apart for an evening reception—an entertainer, Mr. Willis Irwin, of Cincinnati, and entertainer he surely is in the very strongest sense of that word.

All of his work last night was thoroughly enjoyable, the entire audience, about two hundred in number, never failing to show their keen appreciation both by their close attention and earnest and repeated applause. We are unable to correctly criticize this genius, or rather properly sound his praises, for to judge of an artist requires an artist However, suffice it to say, that in his line of work, to which his very personality lends a uniqueness, he is the very best that the writer has ever had the good fortune of hearing. And such was the almost universal verdict of last night's audience. Hearing and seeing would perhaps be more exactly proper, as both of these senses must be called into play when the "uses of the emotions" are being illustrated.

All Saints chapel, the place of meeting, was made attractive with its decorations of palms and its many lace draperies at doors and windows. In spite of the inclemency of the weather the invitations were largely responded to, the club having invited the vestry of All Saints church and their wives and the young ladies of the Clover club, a sort of daughter of the Woman's Literary club, and each member upon the active, associate and waiting lists having the privilege of bringing two guests.

Mrs Draper, the club president, with her usual ease and pleasing manner, gave the words of welcome, introducing Mr. Irwin in a few well chosen sentences, which, with the indulgence of her listeners, she prefaced with a very important announcement to the members of the club—that of a special meeting of great importance to be held Tuesday morning, January 18th, at 9:30. A "slip of the tongue," which first announced the hour at 6:30, and which was not corrected until Mrs. Draper's attention was called to same, occasioned a ripple of laughter. Although all know that this club is wide awake and progressive, they seemed to think this a rather early hour in the day to begin their club work.

The ever popular Czerwinski Trio were present and gave several of their choicest selections, opening the program and lending a variety at various intervals. Their numbers were all the best of music, and yet such as can be generally appreciated—"Alla Marcia" by Bohm, "Alpenveichen" by Andre, "Schlumberleid" by Ersfeldt and Beethoven's "Prometheus."

Mr. Irwin first remarked that it was the choice of the committee that he should illustrate the "Uses of the Emotions," with a "little lecture thrown in." This was done in a most satisfactory way, making one hungry for more of the "lecture," which was instructive as well as interesting, and yet not willing to give up to it a minute of the time to be used in the "illustrations." These latter showed his remarkable power in producing the different feelings in his hearers, as he says simply by the use of the muscles of the body and not by any work of the brain. The "lecture" part was an evidence of his excellent choice of words and his delightful wit, as well as his original and thorough understanding of the subject.

His program of "Illustrations," all of which with one exception were original productions, consisted of a beautiful poem, the title of which might have appropriately been "Some Time;" a very laughable story about the two wheels, told by the man who can scarcely tell a story from laughing himself, and which was given to illustrate the mirth-producing power; two of his monodrams—one act, one character plays—"Cupid at the Junction" and "Mrs. Vincent's Revenge"; a story by a typical Hoosier character, who is that sort of an individual who always wants to tell a "story" and who tries to tell it but can't, always forgetting the point; a most entertaining juvenile selection called "The Pirate and Whitcomb Riley's "Nothing to Say."

Delicious fruit punch was served during the social hour which followed, when many of the club had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Irwin, who is as interesting socially as he is entertaining upon the platform. The punch bowl occupied tables in a small adjoining room, which were presided over by the young ladies of the club.

The members of the executive committee—Mrs. Draper, Mrs. Royse, Mrs. Hall, Miss Dudoit and Miss Taylor—are deserving of a vote of thanks from all the club members and their friends who were present at this very successful evening meeting.

Among the guests from abroad were Mrs. Alfred Taylor, of Marion; Mrs. Jose Murfin, of Ann Arbor, Mich.; Mrs. E. E. Sparks, of Chicago; Mrs. Dr. J. L. Taylor, of Wheelersburg, and Henry Folsom, of Franklin Furnace.

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At the regular meeting of the Ladies' Musicale yesterday afternoon all participated that were announced in Thursday's paper, with the exception of the first upon the program, Miss Margaret Patterson substituting with a piano solo for Miss Bea Belle Brooks. In her usual finished manner she played a very pretty selection, "Spring Song," by Henselt.

Mrs. John E. Jones, by request, kindly favored the listeners with two selections, preceding "Dreams," by Bartlett, which was on the program, by Neidlinger's "Serenade." Both selections were beautiful, particularly "Dreams," and were well adapted to her rich and sympthetic contralto voice.

Mrs. Draper's recitation, "Penelope's Christmas Dance"—an interesting tale of the revolution, prettily told in verse—was well given and well received. Miss Kate Zottman was in excellent voice and gave her two selections in a very creditable manner. The program, necessarily short on account of the election of officers, closed with a recitation by Miss Newman—"The Runaway Princess."

The attendance of active members was much smaller than it should have been at such an important meeting—the date of the annual election—but a sufficient number of the more interested ones were present to carry on the business, which was dispatched with both care and promptness.

The election resulted as follows: President, Mrs. E. F. Draper; vice-president, Miss Kate Kinney; secretary, Mrs. G. D. Wait; treasurer, Miss Alice Blake; executive committee—which is appointed by the retiring committee—Mrs. Geo. Kah, Miss Kate J. Newman, Miss Julia Tappan and Miss Minta Edwards. The president is ex-officio a member of the executive committee.

Plans were suggested for giving the public opportunities to enjoy more of the popular ten cent concerts, definite announcements of which will be made later.

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Mr and Mrs. T. C. Beatty were at the residence of James Appel, on the Bannon farm today, attending an anniversary dinner given in honor of Mr. Appel's 82nd birthday. A large number were present.

PERSONAL.

G. H. Heinisch and wife will spend Sunday in Cincinnati.

F. L. Sikes went to Lucasville this morning on the early train.

A. J. Finney is attending the George Minch sale near Lucasville today.

John F. Brushart, has returned from a business trip to Point Pleasant, W. Va.

Mrs. Alfred B. Taylor, of Marion, Ohio, is the guest of relatives in this city.

Henry Briggs, of Jameson Mo., is visiting relatives in this city and suburbs.

Mrs. John H. Jones, of Garrison Ky., is the guest of Mrs. J. E. Smalley, of Robinson avenue.

Capt. N. W. Evans and Duncan Livingston, returned last night from Columbus, where they have been all week attending court.

Henry M. Neil, of Columbus, arrived in the city on the N. & W. this afternoon and will be the guest of Capt. A. B. Alger over Sunday.

Misses Polly and Alice Clarke went to Portsmouth, where they will be the guests of Miss Emma Prichard for a few days.—Ironton Republican.

Mrs. Jose Murfin, of Ann Arbor, is here for a few days' visit with relatives and friends. She is spending the winter with Mrs. Orin Gould, of Franklin Furnace.

Mrs. E. E. Sparks, who with her bright little daughter, Ethel, has been visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. B. Cotton for several months, expect to return to her home in Chicago next Monday.

Taken to Infirmary.

Andy Fortner, an old colored fellow who has been a familiar figure about the city for a number of years, was taken to the infirmary yesterday to end his days. Fortner worked about town as hod carrier. He married a white woman but it is understood she left him some time ago.

Deutsche Theater Vorstellung im Grand Opera House am Freitag den 21sten Januar. Zur Auffuehrung kommt das bekannte Lustspiel der "Veilchenfresser."

Storage, H. S. Grimes, 119 W. Front.

Takes the burn out; heals the wound; cures the pain. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, the household remedy.

C. H. HARRIS

Jeweler, 412 Chillicothe St.

Watches, Clocks and Jewelry. Repairing promptly and satisfactorily done. J. H. Tinder, with Mr. Harris, is an expert Optician. See him and then you can see.

Saturday Bargains

For Sunday Dinner.

1 qt. best solid oysters	25 c
Dressed chickens, per lb.	11c and 12½c
1 peck fancy Jersey sweet potatoes	30 c
1 peck fancy apples	30c and 35 c
2 cans 20c corn	25 c
3 cans 15c corn	25 c
2 cans best peas	25 c
1 doz fancy bananas	15 c
1 doz California Navel oranges	20 c
1 basket candy	5 c
1 lb mixed nuts	10 c
1 dozen fresh eggs	20 c
1 lb fresh butter	20 c
1 can apricots	10 c
1 can pears	10 c
1 lb dried apples	5 c
1 lb dried peaches	10 c
1 lb California prunes	5c and 10 c
1 lb California raisins	5c and 10 c
1 qt Heinz's Sauer Kraut	5 c
1 doz Heinz's large sweet pickles	10 c

Will also give every customer a half pound package Cocoa Shells free, Saturday, Jan. 15. Try them. They beat tea or coffee.

J. J. Brushart's.

A GOOD CUP

Of coffee is one of the finest and best of beverages, but to make a good cup of it one must have a good article of coffee. Now we have the finest coffees in the city and at the following prices.

No. 1 Select Java and Mocha, 35c a pound, 3 pounds for $1.00.

African Java Blend 30c a pound, 3 pounds for 85c.

No. 1 Santas Blend 25c a pound, 3 pounds for 65c.

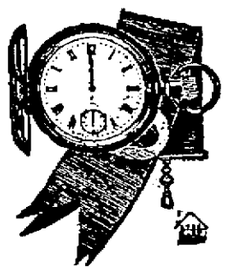
No. 1 Rio Blend 20c a pound, 3 pounds for 50c.

No. 2 Rio Blend 15c a pound, 3 pounds for 40c.

And in Teas we also excel, not only in drinking qualities, but also noted for their exquisite flavors. Give us a trial on our Teas and coffees and you will buy no other. Remember the place.

JOS. H LANGE'S,

Cheap Cash Grocery. Gay and Gallia Sts.



Watches! Watches!

Of all descriptions, latest styles, fine works, Elgin, Waltham, Dueber, etc., at lowest prices. Eyes examined free! Spectacles and eye glassed properly filled. Repairing of watches and jewelry a specialty. All work warranted.

EDW. LEE FEYLER,

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Hot Water

Steam and Gas Fitting. Work done promptly and satisfaction guaranteed.

Wm Burt

FOR RENT—Front room, furnished or unfurnished, with or without board at 91 East Second street. Also day boarders wanted 13-3t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For city property, farm of 160 acres in Harrison township, two miles east of Harrisonville, Fifteen acres of good orchard, good house and out-buildings and good water. A bargain if sold within thirty days. Address August Frowine, 260 East Eleventh street, Portsmouth, Ohio. dec. 15 1m

Great Clearance Sale

TO REDUCE STOCK

Before Taking Inventory.

This Sale should be of importance to every shrewd buyer.
New fresh seasonable Goods. Goods that you need daily.
Goods that you know the value of.

Dress Goods Carnival

A cutting of Prices beyond all Precedent.

15c Brocades, fast colors. Sale price 12½c.
30c „ 36 in. wide, all colors. Sale price 20c.
35c All Wool Novelties. Sale price 24c yd.
50c All Wool Novelties, 40 in. wide, all colors. Sale price 38c.
60c All Wool Novelties, new patterns, all colors. Sale price 48c yd.
$1.00 All Wool Novelties, new designs. Sale price 73c yd.
$1.50 All Wool Novelties, crepon effects, silk effects. Sale price 99c yd.
25c Plaids, new Spring colorings. Sale price 15c yd.
Black Dress Goods for about the cost of raw Material.
15c Brocades, fast black. Sale price 12½c.
22c black Brocades, new designs, 18c yd.
44 in. black Brocades worth 45c yd. Sale price 25c yard.
42 in. All Wool Brocades worth 50c yd. Sale price 35c yd.

Regular 5c quality unbleached Muslins. Sale price 3½c yd.
Regular 7c quality bleached Muslins. Sale price 4½c yd.
Regular 6c quality unbleached Muslin. Sale price 4c yd.

A Silk Sensation

That will attract attention from all over the city.

24 in. Silks regular 50c quality. Sale price 28c yd.
50c Silks in stripes and figures. Sale price 35c yd.
60c Silks, new colorings, large variety to select from. Sale price 45c yd.
95c Silks, pretty patterns, large line to select from. Sale price 73c pd.

Remnants in Calicoes 2½c yd.
Facinators regular 35c quality. Sale price 19c.
Regular 5c quality Crashes. Sale price 3c yd.

Cheviots at reduced Prices.

Regular 6c quality Cheviot at 4½c yd.
Regular 7c quality Cheviot at 5c yd.
Regular 8c quality Cheviot at 6c yd.
Regular 9c quality Cheviot at 7c yd.
Advale Cheviots the best Cheviots in the market today. Regular 12½c quality. Sale price 8c yd.

Ladies' Scarf Ties, new line, were made to sell for 50c. Sale price 25c.

Canton Flannel, regular 6c quality. Sale price 4c yd.

Big Drive in Table Linens.

54 in. Red Table Damask worth 25c yd. Sale price 18c yd.
58 in. Table Damask in Fancies worth 35c yd. Sale price 22c yd.
60 in. Bleached Table Linens worth 35c yd. Pretty Patterns. Sale price 23c yd.
58 in. Unbleached Table Linens worth 35c yd. Sale price 23c yd.

Seamless Sheeting, 9-4 regular 17c quality. Sale price 13c yd.
Men's regular 75c quality Percale Shirts Laundred. Sale price 39c.
Regular 7c quality unbleached Muslins Sale price 4½c yd.

Great Corset Sacrifice.

Elegant white and Drab pattern Corsets, extra long Waist and high Bust. Sold no-where for less than 75c. Clearance Sale price 49c.
Imported french strip Corsets, high Bust and long Waist. regular 65c quality. Sale price 39c.

Embroideries Ods and Ends, slightly soiled for nearly nothing.

Bed Spreads, large sizes, nice patterns worth 75c. Sale price 54c.

Extra Crochet Bed Spreads, select Patterns, regular $1.00 quality. Sale price 75c.

Big Reduction in Wool Blankets.
Men's Tan and black Hosiery at 5c pr.
Men's Suspenders regular 20c quality. Sale price 10c pr.

Unloading Sale of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Underwear. We find as the time for Stock Taking approaches we are overstocked. Unload we must, so down goes the prices.

Ladies' fleeced lined Vests regular 20c quality. Sale price 11c each.
Ladies' fleeced lined Vests, regular 23c quality at 15c each.
Ladies' heavy fleeced lined Vests and Drawers worth 35c each. Sale price 23c each.
Children's Underwear from 7c upwards.
Men's extra heavy Shirts and Drawers, regular 75c quality at 48c suit
Men's extra heavy fleeced lined Underwear, regular 75c quality. Sale price 48c suit.

STEAHLY BROS.,

313 Chillicothe Street. Between Third and Fourth.

Are You In Need

Of books to read or to keep accounts in? You had better call on us. You will find everything you need for less money than anywhere else. Files worth 50c at 25c. Stationery, all grades box paper and tablets from 5c to 50c. Games for people of all ages. Periodicals and Magazines, the latest always on hand. We take subscriptions for any magazine without additional charges. Envelopes, 250 for 25c.

Schloss & Co.,

414 Chillicothe Street.

Fruit Trees, Berry Plants, Shade Trees and Roses.

Buy your stock of reliable parties and then you will meet with no disappointment. Kenyon is an experienced horticulturist and will give you the worth of your money. Parties in town can leave orders at Horr Bros, feed store, No. 52 Gallia street. Telephone 40, or call at Droege's Grove Place, first house east of Athletic Park.

SAM T. KENYON,

P. O. Address, 681 Gallia Street.

Ladies' Shoes on Sale.

We have placed on sale over 500 pairs of Ladies' Fine Shoes to be sold for

$1.50 a Pair,

Which surpass anything that has ever been offered to the shoe buying citizens.

Button, Opera,
Lace, Coin,
Congress. New Cottage.

Call and see them.

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Bargain House. 509 Chillicothe Street

Watch for the Special Announcement of

J. EISMAN & CO.,

121 and 123 West Second Street.

Will Be Continued **One More Week** Till Saturday, Jan. 22. 1898

The Special Prices On All Goods for **One More Week** Till Saturday Jan. 22.

OUR REMODELING SALE PRICES

Have won the public. The people have responded to our announcement and we have kept faith with the people by doing just as we advertised. These prices will hold good for one more week, until Saturday, January 22. Don't miss this sale.

MARTING BROS. AND CO.

BURGLARY.

Charles W. McCormick at Buena Vista Burglarized

Thursday Night—Gained Entrance to the Store and a Small Amount of Money Taken—Being Discovered He Ran, McCormick Giving Him a Chase.

The store of Charles W. McCormick, at Buena Vista, was burglarized Thursday night. Mr. McCormick closed the store about 9 o'clock, going home. An hour later he returned to the store for something. On attempting to open the door he found it was held by some one on the inside. Having no light and the night being dark, he started to go home after a light. When a few feet from the building the door opened and the burglar ran out and up the street, followed by Mr. McCormick. Being a quick stepper, he soon left his pursuer and the chase was abandoned. Mr. McCormick returned to the store, finding the money drawer minus a small amount of money that had been left there, but no other damage done. A small saw, chisel and a crow bar were lying on the steps. With these the entrance had been made. On looking at the tracks the next morning it was found that the man was barefooted. There is no clue as to the guilty party.

German Theater.

The German play to be given here January 21st is one of those charming comedies peculiar to and taken entirely from German life. No one of the modern German dramatic writers better understands how to take off the eccentricities and farce of German life than Gustav von Moser, whose plays have found favor everywhere. A number of them, such as "The Professor," "The Private Secretary," etc., etc., have been translated into English, the sole right for their performance in the United States being acquired by Manager "Daly. The play to be given here has ben played with great success at all of our German-American theaters and has been played again and again by the same troupe which is to play it here. Hence a perfect performance can be expected.

"Der Veilchenfresser" (The Violet Crank) we are sure must please all who appreciate fine comedy. There is nothing coarse or rude in the entire play, and while there is much occasion to laugh, there is never occasion to blush. It is hoped by the gentlemen having the matter in charge that many of our best American families will be present. The children who study German should all be there. The program will contain a sort of an explanatory synopsis of each act, which will make it easy (even for those who understand no German) to fully understand the plot of the play.

FRAGMENTS.

J. H. Adams is confined to his bed with pneumonia.

Finney & Sons, the wholesale grocers, are putting in a new elevator.

Robert Schlitz has accepted a position in the store of G. H. Heinisch.

Miss Hannah Donahoe has accepted the position of book-keeper for the Standard Shoe Co.

F. Switalski, of the Correspondent, is confined to his home with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Miss Margaret Vogel, of Chillicothe street, who has besn sick for several weeks is rapidly improving.

James Smith, the groceryman at the corner of Ninth and Offnere streets, has been sick for several days.

The Big mill at the Burgess broke down again this morning causing a delay of several hours for repairs.

Secure your seats for the German theater at White's. Parquet and balcony 50 cents. Gallery 25 cents.

Miss Elsie M. Cline. of East Fourth street, who has been quite sick for the last two weeks is slowly recovering.

Butch Adams, of the East End, is seriously sick with the mumps. His condition is considered very dangerous.

A. G. Dunn, who will consolidate his grocery business with James Smith Feb. 1st will also take an interest in the coal business conducted by the latter.

J. W. Meyers. formerly traveling salesmen for the Ohio Stove foundry, has accepted a like position with Evansville Association Foundry of Evansville, Ind., and left this morning for his new field of labor.

There is a great deal of sickness in the city at the present time—several cases of typhoid fever, more than usual at this season of the year. This winter has been unusualy severe on old people. Two prominent old ladies, Mrs. H. E. Currie and Mrs. Whitney, of West Sixth street, are now very sick. Their recovery is doubtful.

W. A. Plummer, of 295 Gallia street, pays cash for his granite, and it comes direct from the quarries, saving his customers the per cent of the middle man.

The Brother of Captain Redden Dead.

Capt. Harvey Redden, of the C. & O. ferry-boat, received news today of the death of his brother, Thos. B. Redden, at Dennison, Colorado. His death occurred last Wednesday.

Best rubbers for the least money at Lehman's.

When doctors fail try Burdock blood Bitters. Cures dyspepsia, constipation; invigorates the whole system.

COURT HOUSE.

Jury Out Four Hours in Wykhoff vs. Bleckman Case—Criminal Docket Next Week.

The jury in the Wykhoff vs. Bleekman case returned a sealed verdict Friday night at eight o'clock. They were in the jury room four hours. There was no court today. Next week the criminal docket will be disposed of.

Two new prisoners from Nile township were received at the jail today—John Shope and David Wright, each recognized to common pleas court in the sum of $200 or assault with intent to kill, committed on one Richard J. Stapleton. They were sent up by 'Squire Lockhart.

Jacob Jones, the Chillicothe saloonkeeper, pleaded guilty Friday to two indictments against him — one for keeping a place for gambling and another for suffering a game. In the first he was sentenced to pay $60 fine and in the second $80, and imprisonment in the Cincinnati workhouse until fine and costs are paid. There are still eight indictments against him.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Della Allen to Abigal Lawson, $800.

Sarah Comins to Oren F. Dodds, $1, etc.

Wm. F. Lawson to Ernest W. Lawson, $1, etc.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Henry Hiller, 22, and Nora L. Wall, 19, Elfort.

RIVER NEWS.

River thirty-five feet and rising rapidly. The headwaters were rising before the rain of last night. With the amount of rains we have had we may expect from forty-eight to fifty feet of water. This will cover the low Scioto bottoms, shut off communication from the West Side and force a good many of the slabtown inhabitants to leave their homes.

The Lizzie Bay passed up this morning. The Stanley will be down this evening. Bonanza and Queen City up Sunday morning.

To Open a Meat Shop.

David Tipton has resigned his position as machinist at the N. & W. shops and will engage in the meat business on Lawson heights at present both are Mr. and Mrs. Tipton are down sick with the mumps.

To Get an Annual Pass.

Vice President Barr, of the N. & W. has issued an order that employes in the transportation department, who have served five years in the companys employ shall be granted an annual pass. Several local engineers have received their passes.

New Residence Telephones.

The residences of John Peebles, Philo S. Clark and John G. Reilly have been added to the telephone list.

BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS.

The Times Acknowleges the Recipt of a Box of Rare Blossoms from P. H. Therkildson, of Ironton.

The thanks of this office is extended to eP. H. Therkildson, of Ironton, for box of beautiful flowers received by the editor this morning. They are as exquisite roses, carnations, etc., as we have ever seen. Surely Mr. Therkildson who is a florist in our neighboring city, is most successful in the raising of perfect specimens of the choicest flowers.

The beatiiful varieties which are represented in the large bonquet are Bride, Bridesmaid, Perle de Jardines, Golden Gate and Souvenir of President Carnot of the rose family, nine different carnations, from white to the deepest red—Mary Wood, Lizzie McGowan, Daybreak, McBurney, Mrs. Geo. M. Bradt, Dazzle, Jubilee, Robin Hood and Meteor varieties; naroissus and white hyacinths, the latter of the C. A. Dana variety.

No lover of flowers should fail to take a look at them. They have been placed in Seebohm's window so that all may have the pleasure of seeing them.

Storage, H. S. Grimes, 119 W. Front.

Landslide at the N. & W.

There was a big landslide on the Kenova division of the N. & W. last night on Pigeon creek five miles east of Kenova. The track is still blockaded and there were no through trains on the N. & W. today.

High Honor.

John T. Miller has received his certificate of election as grand representative of the Grand Encampment I. O. O. F. for the twelfth district. He was elected for two years.

$100 Reward $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at last one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

WANT COLUMN.

WANTED—A young girl not over fifteen years old for housework. Call tomorrow over Augustine's store, corner of Front and court streets.

WANTED—At once, three good girls in the fitting room at the Heer Shoe Co.

Closing Out Sale Prices.

Every item in our store is offered at cost and entire winter stock greatly under cost.

Every few days we will keep you posted on new prices.

Remember

Our Flannels, Canton Flannels, Flannel Skirts, Calicoes, Muslins, Crashes, Ginghams, Table Linens, exactly as advertised.

Deep Cut on Dress Goods.

9c per yard for 12½c dress goods.

12½c per yard for 15c and 20c dress goods.

15c per yard for 25c dress goods.

23c for all wool 30c dress goods.

Better dress goods reduced in same proportion.

Silks, velvets and braids very cheap.

500 yards 5c outing at 3½c per yard.

200 yards 7c outing at 5½c

500 yards 10c outing at 7½c

250 yards fancy 10c drapery at 7c.

Cotton Crash 3c per yard.

Fancy Calico 3½ and 4c.

Apron Ginghams 3, 4, 4½c

Light Calico 3 and 3¾c.

Brown Muslin 3½c, upwards.

Canton Flannel 3½c, upwards.

L. & E. Yaeger,

507 Chillicothe Street.

M'KENNA HELD UP

His Nomination Has Not Yet Been Confirmed.

SENATOR ALLEN WAS IN THE WAY.

He Disclaimed Any Intention of Entertaining Charges Made Against the Candidate, but Wanted to Investigate So He Would Be Able to Vote Intelligently on This Important Matter.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Indirect consideration of the nomination of Hon. Joseph McKenna to be associate justice of the United States supreme court occupied the entire time of the executive session of the senate.

The discussion was the result of an effort on the part of Senator Allen (Pop.) of Nebraska to secure a postponement for two weeks. In the end a compromise was reached deferring consideration a week on the condition that the Nebraska senator should agree to allow a vote to be taken on that day.

The debate upon Mr. McKenna's nomination was precipitated by Senator Hoar, chairman of the committee on judiciary, who called up the nomination in accordance with previous notice and asked for immediate action. In doing this Mr. Hoar spoke briefly of the opposition to Mr. McKenna, saying that the judiciary committee had investigated most of the charges made and had reached the conclusion that they were without foundation.

He said that the greater number of charges had been made by the members of the American Protective association, and that as they had been founded solely upon the fact that Mr. McKenna was

A Catholic in Religion

they had not been deemed worthy of serious consideration. Mr. Hoar dwelt at some length upon this point, excoriating any men who would attempt to inject a question of religion into a controversy over a man's fitness for office.

Senator White of California also spoke of the effort of American Protective association to interfere with the course of the senate in giving proper attention to a question the determination of which should depend upon considerations of fitness and justice as between man and man rather than upon an appeal to bigotry, prejudice and a false claim of patriotism.

He spoke of the American Protective association as "fools who could not be properly characterized in the senate." He had no patience, he said, with men who held the opinion that Catholics must necessarily consult the pope or some other high functionary of the Catholic church in every important transaction of their lives, and added that he was convinced that the American senate would not be influenced for a moment by such representations as would be made by an order of the

Character of the A. P. A.

Mr. McKenna's confirmation should depend entirely upon different considerations. As for himself, while he did not contend that Mr. McKenna was a giant in his legal attainments, still he believed him to be an honorable man, a competent lawyer and a just jurist, and he should support his confirmation.

It was here that Mr. Allen interposed an objection to immediate action. When his request for two weeks' delay was met with refusal he took the floor and proceeded to give his reasons for the request, which were in the main that he wanted, and he thought the senate should have, more time for consideration than had been given to it.

He called attention to the importance of the office to which Mr. McKenna had been named, saying it was a place which he would occupy probably during the remainder of his life, and that the senate and the American public had a right to demand that the charges should be sifted to the bottom.

He said that so far as the opposition of the American Protective association was concerned it did not influence him in the least, and he agreed with all that had been said as to the

Impropriety of Any Interference

in a matter of this character on account of religious prejudices or predilections. There were still other charges which were in his mind far more serious, and to prove that such was the case he read at length from letters and newspapers attacking Mr. McKenna's record as an attorney and jurist on the ground of want of legal attainment.

The greater part of Mr. Allen's speech was devoted to reading these documents. He called especial attention to an attack made by the bar of the Pacific coast which he said was deserving of more consideration than had been given it.

He also stated that he had understood that the charge had been made that large corporations had been instrumental in securing Mr. McKenna's nomination. He thought this matter also should be sifted to the bottom, though that the senate had not yet had opportunity to do so.

Mr. Allen [illegible] to father any of the charges [illegible] asserted that [illegible] sufficient time for [illegible] tion.

In the House

Washington, [illegible] the attention of the house [illegible] with the [illegible] appropriation [illegible] chief condition of affairs [illegible] the wildly exaggerated reports of [illegible] they decided to avoid the possibility of opening up a further debate on the [illegible] quishing the day to the committee on claims in charge of bills on the private calendar.

Before this order was entered upon the agricultural bill was passed. Most of the day was consumed in a filibuster against a bill to pay the publishing house of the Methodist Episcopal church south at Nashville $288,000 for the seizure and use of the property of that corporation during the war. The opposition consumed the time until 5 o'clock, when the house adjourned.

THE BEST COURSE.

President Dole Wants to Correct a Few Misrepresentations.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The former Hawaiian minister to the United States, Mr. Lorin A. Thurston, made the following statement relative to President Dole's mission to the United States:

The Hawaiian legislature meets in regular session in February. If annexation is to take place there will necessarily be some legislation to adapt the laws to the changed conditions. If it is not to take place, the refunding of the bonded debt will probably be taken up, which would not be done if annexation is not to take place.

The present bonds draw 6 per cent interest, and can be taken up at any time. The entire debt can be refunded at from 4 to 4½ per cent by the present government.

There being no cable communication and the mails being so slow and so far apart, and information obtained by letter being at best unsatisfactory, President Dole determined to come to Washington and observe the conditions himself in order to guide him in making recommendations to the legislature.

An Error Discovered.

Washington, Jan. 15.—A clerical error in the resolution introduced by Senator Hoar in the senate changing the time for the inauguration of presidents from March until April, placed the date when the change should take effect in 1898 when it was Senator Hoar's intention that the date should have been 1897, which would extend Mr. McKinley's term for a little more than a month instead of shortening it, as would have been the result if the resolution as first introduced had become a law. Mr. Hoar afterward changed the resolution in accordance with his intention.

An Amendment Offered.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Senator Perkins of California introduced a bill amendatory of the act providing a civil government for Alaska, providing that all public lands not reserved in Alaska containing coal, lignite or mineral oil may be claimed and entered under the land laws; that locations not exceeding 640 acres may be located by any qualified mineral claimant; but the entry can be made only on discovery of coal, lignite or mineral oil on the location; and that the purchase price of land claimed under this act shall be $2.50 per acre.

What Common Action.

Washington, Jan. 15.—As a result of conferences held within the last few days between the silver leaders of various parties it is understood that Chairman Jones of the Democratic national committee, Chairman Butler of the Populist national committee and Chairman Towne of the silver national committee will issue a joint manifesto the early part of next week with a view to securing common action by the three organizations in the political contest of 1898.

What North Carolina Furnishes.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Mr. John W. Fries, the North Carolina member of the banking and currency commission, said North Carolina furnished the country the great apostle of discontent, Colonel Leonidas Polk, and also the larger part of the output of cigarettes which are regarded as so harmful to the youth of the country.

A Penalty Attached.

Washington, Jan. 15. — The house committee on interstate and foreign commerce had the anti-scalping bill under discussion. An amendment was adopted imposing a penalty on railroads refusing to redeem unused portions of tickets.

Bill Favorably Reported.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The Lacey bill extending the homestead laws to Alaska and granting the right of way to railroads was favorably reported to the house from the public lands committee.

Thousands suffer from catarrh or cold in the head and have never tried the popular remedy. There is no longer any excuse, as a 10 cent trial size of Ely's Cream Balm can be had of your druggist or we mail it for 50 cents. Full size 50 cents. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

A friend advised me to try Ely's Cream Balm and after using it six weeks I believe myself cured of catarrh. It is a most valuable remedy.—Joseph Stewart, 156 Grand Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take, perfectly harmless, positive cure for coughs, colds or money refunded.

[illegible] your grocer today to show you a package of Ohio Flake, the new food drink that looks like the finest of coffee. The children may drink it without injury, as much as they wish. All who try it like it. It is called the food drink of Health of Health, and it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. One-fourth the price of coffee. 15 and 25 cents per package. Sold by all grocers.

[illegible] Cure or Your Money.

Dealers [illegible] Quinine Tablets [illegible] druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

Relief

for E. Berkman's Diabetes.

[illegible] E. Berkman's Anti-Diabetic may be worth to you more than gold if you have, since with cold weather from incontinence is never during sleep. Corner Ash and Young alleys. It arrests the trouble at once. $1 box at Wurzer Bros., Druggist, Portsmouth, Ohio.

WHAT WOMEN NOW NEED

More Red Corpuscles in Their Blood—Paine's Celery Compound.

Miss Frances E. Willard, who has been attending the world's convention of the W. C. T. U., says that better health for women is today a more urgent matter than woman's suffrage.

She says: "What women at present most need is a better supply of red corpuscles."

From every section of the country, from Maine to California, come well-attested reports of women, bloodless, dyspeptic, nervous, seriously run down, and in many cases so weak as to be bed-ridden, who have been enabled to resume their places in the family circle and in social life—healthy, ruddy, well-cured women, by the aid of that great blood-maker and health-maker, Paine's celery compound.

Mrs. E. A. Ward is one of these fortunate women whom Paine's celery compound has saved from an ailing, unhappy invalid condition, as her letter shows:

213 Michigan ave., Mason City, Ia., Sept. 16, 1897.

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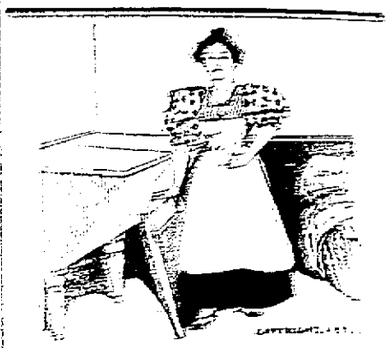

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"Old Glory" Has Had a Tough Time Recently.

THE FOREIGNERS DO NOT LIKE IT.

Latest Humiliation Occurred In Alaska Where Americans Planted the Stars and Stripes and Were Compelled to Haul the Emblem Down and Apologize to the "Blarsted Britishers."

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 15.—A letter has been received by Collector of Customs Milne from Skaguay in which it is alleged that Mr. Smith, United States commissioner for Dyea and Skaguay, claims a strip of land three miles down from the head of Lake Bennett, which is near the boundary as defined by the United States, and which would give the United States control of the territory from the coast to the lake.

The commissioner, the writer alleges, has ordered all locators of lots to have them recorded with him. A party of Americans, the writer says, followed the commissioner's direction by hoisting the American flag just below the police barracks, where the British flag was flying. The Canadian mounted police demanded an explanation, and after some parleying the flag was hauled down and an apology tendered.

The same letter contains information that Bernard Moore is having more trouble with settlers on land which he claims at Skaguay. Early in the present month, it is alleged, he turned out with an armed force and drove squatters off the land. It is also stated that some firing was done, but nobody was hurt.

They Ought to Know.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 15.—The directors of the National State bank of this city made the following statement regarding the report that the troubles of ex-Cashier Donaghoe were brought about through transactions with Russell B. Harrison of the Terre Haute Street Railway company: "The directors of the National State bank authorize the statement that the causes leading to the dismissal of Mr. Donaghoe in no wise involve business dealings with Mr. Russell B. Harrison or his road."

Dangerous Crooks Arrested.

Philadelphia, Jan. 15. — Four men who are suspected of being professional thieves of New York were arrested by detectives here while following a well known jewelry salesman who was visiting his "trade" with a satchel containing thousands of dollars worth of diamonds. All were plentifully provided with money, and carried loaded revolvers and a quantity of tools used by diamond and bank thieves. They resisted arrest and were only subdued at the pistol's point.

Couldn't Stop Him.

Topeka, Jan. 15. — J. C. McKibben, charged with having made counterfeit $5 bills while in the United States penitentiary at Leavenworth, was brought to Topeka by Deputy Marshal W. G. Neely. His term expired at the penitentiary Thursday, and he was at once rearrested on the charge of making counterfeit money in prison. He will be sentenced by Judge Foster.

An Important Meeting.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Nearly 600 coal miners and operators, representing Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Pennsylvania, will meet in joint convention in Chicago on Monday for the purpose of bringing about, if possible, the adoption of a wage scale and working agreement in order to prevent a general strike next summer.

Will Meet In Trenton.

Trenton, Jan. 15.—Right Rev. Bishop McFaul, who acted as arbitrator in the proceedings looking to a reunion of the two wings of the Ancient Order of Hibernians in the United States, has fixed upon Trenton, June 27, as the place and time for the holding of the national convention of the reunited organizations.

Movement of Warships.

Key West, Fla., Jan. 15.—The cruiser Detroit arrived here at midday from Haiti. The Montgomery has just arrived. She brought a barge from Tampa to be used in loading warships with coal which draw too much water to lie at the dock. The Marblehead left for Navassa island.

Drifting Barge Towed In.

Newport News, Va., Jan. 15.—After drifting aimlessly at sea for two weeks the barge Coal King, Captain Nelson, was towed into port by the tug C. W. Morse. The men on board suffered no inconvenience, being plentifully supplied with food.

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BABY BLEMISHES Prevented and Cured by CUTICURA SOAP.

ALL WAS QUIET.

That Is What a Late Cable From General Lee Said.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Consul General Lee cabled the state department that all was quiet in Havana, and the dispatch was at once sent to the White House.

It went to confirm the previous reports, and was a simple statement by General Lee that at noon all was quiet in Havana.

One of the dispatches stated that there would be no objection to the presence in Havana of Mis Clara Barton of the National Red Cross, the authorities being ready to extend to her the same privileges as those given to any other citizen.

Spain Is Determined.

Madrid, Jan. 15.—It was pointed out at the cabinet council that the members of the new Cuban government had strongly protested against the attacks made by the Havana papers on the Spanish army. The cabinet resolved that the disorders in Havana should not affect the recent reforms. Strict military discipline will be enforced both here and abroad, and if necessary measures will be submitted to the cortes for reforming the army laws.

Has Some Spanish In It.

Havana, Jan. 15.—M. Molina, the chief of staff of the insurgent General Majia Rodriguez, has, it is announced, surrendered to the Spanish authorities. General Parrado has issued a manifesto announcing his willingness to do everything possible to bring about peace in the district of Sancti Spiritus, province of Santa Clara. It is announced from Spanish sources that Lieutenant Colonel Felix Tegon of the insurgent army has been killed.

Populists Have Adjourned.

St. Louis, Jan. 15. — The Populists concluded their work in this city by giving out the details of setting in motion the novel plan of taking a referendum vote of the rank and file of their party. The questions submitted are: "What date is your choice for holding a national convention for the nomination of presidential candidates—Monday, July 4, 1898; Friday, May 26, 1899, or Thursday, Feb. 22, 1900?"

Triple Murderer Hanged.

Richmond, Jan. 15.—Archey Lockely (negro), a triple murderer, was hanged at King and Queen courthouse. There was a large crowd at the courthouse, and the sheriff and his deputies had to produce pistols to prevent some of those present from forcing their way into the inclosure around the scaffold. Lockely made a full confession.

Suffocated by Smoke.

New York, Jan. 15.—In a fire which occurred at Thomas Roberts' hotel in West street, and which did $15,000 damage, Leslie Stanley and his wife were suffocated by smoke.

Woman Suffrage Wanted.

Albany Jan. 15.—A concurrent resolution was introduced in the assembly proposing a woman suffrage amendment to the state constitution.

Lewis Carroll Dead.

London, Jan. 15. — The Rev. C. H. Dodson, whose nom de plume was Lewis Carroll, the author of "Alice in Wonderland," is dead.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For Jan. 14.

NEW YORK.

Beef—Family, $10 00@11 50; extra mess, $9 00@9 50; packed, $8 50@9 50. Cut meats—Pickled bellies, 5@6c; pickled shoulders, 5@5¼c; pickled hams, 7c. Lard—Western steam, $5 00. Pork—Old mess, $8 50@9 00.

Butter—Western dairy, 12@20c; creamery, 14½@20c; do factory, 11@15c. Cheese—State large, 8½@8¾c; small, 9¼@9½c; part skims, 4@4½c; full skims, 3@4c. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 20@22c; western fresh, 20c.

Wheat—$1 00⅞. Corn—34⅝c. Oats—28¾c. Rye—54½c.

PITTSBURG.

Cattle—Choice, $4 90@5 00; good, $4 70@4 80; tidy butchers', $4 40@4 65; fair, $4 20@4 25; common, $3 25@3 60; heifers, $4 00@4 50; bulls, stags and cows, $2 00@3 70; fresh cows, $20@50.

Hogs—Yorkers, $3 75@3 80; mediums, $3 75@3 80; fair, $3 50; grassers, $3 40@3 45; heavy, $3 65@3 70; rough, $3 00@3 25; pigs, $3 70@3 75.

Sheep—Choice, $4 65@4 75; good, $4 50@4 60; fair, $4 10@4 40; common, $3 50@4 00; lambs, $5 75@5 85.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—Beeves, $3 90@5 40; cows and heifers, $2 10@4 50; Texas steers, $3 40@4 25; westerns, $4 00@4 80; stockers and feeders, $3 35@4 35.

Hogs—Light, $3 45@3 72½; mediums, $3 50@3 65; heavy, $3 45@3 72½; roughs, $3 40@3 45.

Sheeps and Lambs—Choice sheep, $4 25@4 50; fair, $4 20@4 40; common, $3 00@4 10; exports, $3 00; choice lambs, $5 75@6 00.

Wheat—91½c. Corn—26⅝c. Oats—22c. Rye—45c.

BUFFALO.

Cattle—Butchers', $4 15@4 25; shipping, $4 60@4 75; best steers, $4 85@5 10; good cows and heifers, $3 50@4 00; stockers and feeders, $3 40@4 25.

Hogs—Yorkers, $3 80@3 85; roughs, common to good, $3 10@3 35; mediums and heavies, $3 70@3 75; pigs, $3 60@3 65.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, extra, $4 65@4 90; good prime, $5 40@5 60; common, $2 60@3 75; choice lambs, $5 75@5 90.

CLEVELAND.

Hogs—Yorkers and lights, $3 70; mediums and heavies, $3 70; stags and roughs, $2 50@2 90.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $2 50@4 40; lambs, $4 00@5 65.

Cattle—Steers, $3 75@4 50; heifers, $4 00@4 25; cows and bulls, $2 25@3 50.

CINCINNATI.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 93c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 29c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 25c. Rye—46c.

Lard—$4 60. Bulk meats—$4 60. Bacon—$5 50.

Hogs—$3 00@3 70. Cattle—$2 25@4 65. Sheep—$2 95@4 65.

TOLEDO.

Wheat—90½c. Corn—27½c. Oats—22½c. Rye—46c. Cloverseed—$3 15.

BALTIMORE.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 22c. Eggs—Fresh—18c.

ESSENCE OF NEWS.

Items of Interest Prepared Especially For Busy Readers.

Two wiretappers were arrested in Cincinnati.

Ex-Senator Tabor has been appointed postmaster at Denver.

Cablegrams are not allowed to be published in Havana until 12 hours after their receipt.

All agents doing work for the New York Life Insurance company in Kansas are to be prosecuted.

The senate committee on privileges and elections reported adversely to seating H. W. Corbett as senator from Oregon.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $239,715,866; gold reserve, $162,188,808.

Notes.

The house committee on the judiciary has recommended the appointment of an additional judge for Texas.

The vice president and Mrs. Hobart entertained the president and Mrs. McKinley at a beautifully appointed dinner of 20 covers.

The house committee on public lands has made a favorable report on the Arkansas claims settlement bill, with what is known as the Meiklejohn amendment.

Assistant Secretary of the Interior Davis holds that the members of Captain Pollard's company V, Fourth Missouri volunteers, Black Hawk war, are pensionable under the law.

Civil Engineer Menocal, now with the Nicaragua canal commission in Nicaragua, has been ordered home to explain, if he can, the alleged shortcomings of the work upon the New York drydock.

An Increase Shown.

Baltimore, Jan. 15. — The approximate earnings of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company for December, 1897, were $2,312,541, which is an increase of $134,739 over the actual earnings of December, 1896.

Willing to Arbitrate.

London, Jan. 15.—A manifesto of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers recites the engineers' contentions, and says they are willing to arbitrate the question of hours of work.

DO IT YOURSELF.

You can tell just as well as a physician whether your kidneys are diseased or healthy. The way to do is to take a bottle or glass tumbler, and fill it with urine. If there is a sediment—a powder like substance—at the bottom after standing a day and night, there is something wrong with the kidneys. Another sure sign of disease is a desire to urinate often, and still another sign is pain in the back. If urine stains linen, there is no doubt that the kidneys are affected.

Any and all diseases of the kidneys, liver, bladder and of the urinary passages and constipation of the bowels are cured by Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. There is no question about its being the best and surest medicine in the world for such troubles. It quickly relieves and cures inability to hold urine, and people, young or old, who take it are not compelled to get up a number of times during the night. For putting an end to that scalding pain experienced in passing urine, nothing is so good as Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. It corrects the bad effects of whiskey and beer; is pleasant to the taste, and does not seem to be medicine at all. Diseases of the kidneys and bladder often require the use of instruments to push back the sandy matter so the urine can be voided. In such cases Favorite Remedy should be taken without further delay or the disease may prove fatal. It is sold for one dollar a bottle at all drug stores. It is well worth many times its price.

Samples Free.

If you wish to test Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy before buying it, send your full post office address to the Dr. David Kennedy Corporation, Rondout, N. Y., and mention this paper. We will then mail you a sample bottle free, as well as circulars giving full directions for its use. Every reader of the Times can depend upon the genuineness of this liberal offer, and all sufferers from kidney troubles should take advantage of it at once.

Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Gastritis and all Stomach Disorder's positively cured. Grover Graham's Dyspepsia Remedy is a specific. One dose removes all distress, and a permanent cure of the most chronic and severe cases is guaranteed. Do not suffer! A 50 cent bottle will convince the most skeptical.

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Farmer Hopkins' Evidence.

HE TELLS ABOUT THE SUFFERING OF HIS DAUGHTER.

A Victim of Nervous Prostration and Neuralgia, Saved After Her Physician Abandoned Hope.

From the Republican, Columbus, Ind.

While in the neighborhood of Rugby, Indiana, recently, a reporter was told that Miss Clara Hopkins, daughter of Mr. Dennis Hopkins, a prominent farmer of Bartholomew County, had been the subject of a remarkable transformation. The reporter decided to investigate and learn the particulars. He was driven to Mr. Hopkins' splendid country home, where he had an interesting conversation with that gentleman regarding the illness of his only daughter.

"You have been correctly informed," said Mr. Hopkins, "for Clara has indeed had a severe siege. She tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and they did her more good than all other medicines together that she ever took. A few boxes of that medicine accomplished the cure of a case in a few months which had baffled physicians for years.

"About three years ago her health began to fail. The doctor who attended her said this was caused by weak digestion. This produced nervousness, which was accompanied by neuralgic troubles, which at first was located in the nerves about the heart. Of course this was a dangerous location for any such trouble, and she rapidly grew worse, notwithstanding that the physician was treating her. This continued till a year ago last November, at which time she was almost constantly confined to her bed.

"The neuralgia became gradually worse, and finally she was a confirmed victim to it.

"Nervous prostration set in, and she was soon all run down. Her blood was impure and watery, and her complexion became sallow and colorless. She had no strength, and the least noise irritated her, she was so nervous. We had another physician, and he treated her steadily for a year without doing her any good. In fact, it seemed that she was continually becoming worse. He finally gave up the case as hopeless, and advised us to get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People for her, as he said that they were the only thing that would benefit her.

"I procured a couple of boxes of the pills, and found that their use helped her considerably. She kept on taking them till she used about a dozen boxes, with the result that she was entirely well, and since then there has been no symptoms whatever, of her old trouble. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are certainly a wonderful medicine, which did a wonderful good in Clara's case, doing what several physicians failed to accomplish."

All the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves are contained, in a condensed form, in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of whatever nature. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold in boxes (never in loose bulk) at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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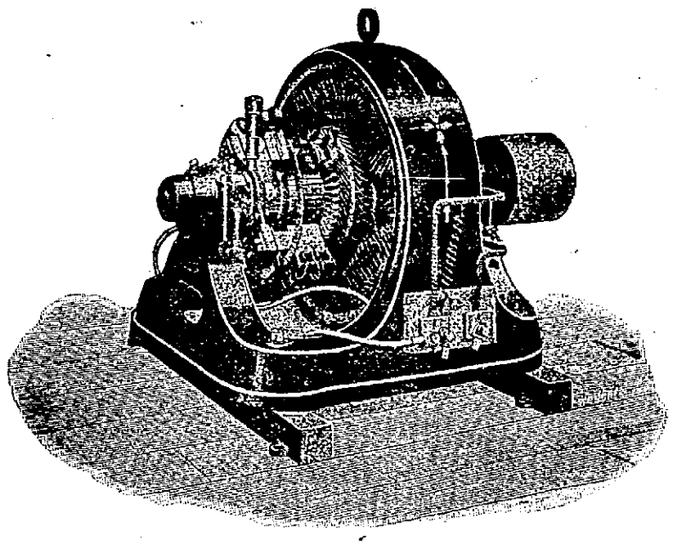

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His Nomination Has Not Yet Been Confirmed.

SENATOR ALLEN WAS IN THE WAY.

He Disclaimed Any Intention of Fathering Charges Made Against the Candidate, but Wanted to Investigate So He Would Be Able to Vote Intelligently on This Important Matter.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Indirect consideration of the nomination of Hon. Joseph McKenna to be associate justice of the United States supreme court occupied the entire time of the executive session of the senate.

The discussion was the result of an effort on the part of Senator Allen (Pop.) of Nebraska to secure a postponement for two weeks. In the end a compromise was reached deferring consideration a week on the condition that the Nebraska senator should agree to allow a vote to be taken on that day.

The debate upon Mr. McKenna's nomination was precipitated by Senator Hoar, chairman of the committee on judiciary, who called up the nomination in accordance with previous notice and asked for immediate action. In doing this Mr. Hoar spoke briefly of the opposition to Mr. McKenna, saying that the judiciary committee had investigated most of the charges made and had reached the conclusion that they were without foundation.

He said that the greater number of charges had been made by the members of the American Protective association, and that as they had been founded solely upon the fact that Mr. McKenna was

A Catholic In Religion

they had not been deemed worthy of serious consideration. Mr. Hoar dwelt at some length upon this point, excoriating any men who would attempt to inject a question of religion into a controversy over a man's fitness for office.

Senator White of California also spoke of the effort of American Protective association to interfere with the course of the senate in giving proper attention to a question the determination of which should depend upon considerations of fitness and justice as between man and man rather than upon an appeal to bigotry, prejudice and a false claim of patriotism.

He spoke of the American Protective association as "fools who could not be properly characterized in the senate." He had no patience, he said, with men who held the opinion that Catholics must necessarily consult the pope or some other high functionary of the Catholic church in every important transaction of their lives; and added that he was convinced that the American senate would not be influenced for a moment by such representations as would be made by an order of the

Character of the A. P. A.

Mr. McKenna's confirmation should depend entirely upon different considerations. As for himself, while he did not contend that Mr. McKenna was a giant in his legal attainments, still he believed him to be an honorable man, a competent lawyer and a just jurist, and he should support his confirmation.

It was here that Mr. Allen interposed an objection to immediate action. When his request for two weeks' delay was met with refusal he took the floor and proceeded to give his reasons for the request, which were in the main that he wanted, and he thought the senate should have, more time for consideration than had been given to it.

He called attention to the importance of the office to which Mr. McKenna had been named, saying it was a place which he would occupy probably during the remainder of his life, and that the senate and the American public had a right to demand that the charges should be sifted to the bottom.

He said that so far as the opposition of the American Protective association was concerned it did not influence him in the least, and he agreed with all that had been said as to the

Impropriety of Any Interference

in a matter of this character on account of religious prejudices or predilections. There were still other charges which were, to his mind, far more serious, and to prove that such was the case he read at length from letters and newspapers attacking Mr. McKenna's record as an attorney and jurist on the ground of want of legal attainments.

The greater part of Mr. Allen's speech was devoted to reading these documents. He called especial attention to an attack made by the bar of the Pacific coast, which he said was deserving of more consideration than had been given it.

He also stated that he had understood that the charge had been made that large corporations had been instrumental in securing Mr. McKenna's nomination. He thought this matter also should be looked into more thoroughly than the senate had had opportunity to do.

Mr. Allen disclaimed any intention to father any of the charges made, but asserted that his sole purpose was to secure time for their proper investigation.

In the House.

Washington, Jan. 15.—It was the intention of the house managers to proceed with the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill, but owing to the excited condition of affairs in Havana and the wildly exaggerated reports afloat, they decided to avoid the possibility of opening up a Cuban debate by relinquishing the day to the committee on claims in charge of bills on the private calendar.

Before this order was entered upon the agricultural bill was passed. Most of the day was consumed in a filibuster against a bill to pay the publishing house of the Methodist Episcopal church south at Nashville $288,000 for the seizure and use of the property of that corporation during the war. The opposition consumed the time until 5 o'clock, when the house adjourned.

THE BEST COURSE.

President Dole Wants to Correct a Few Misrepresentations.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The former Hawaiian minister to the United States, Mr. Lorin M. Thurston, made the following statement relative to President Dole's mission to the United States:

The Hawaiian legislature meets in regular session in February. If annexation is to take place there will necessarily be some legislation to adapt the laws to the changed conditions. If it is not to take place, the refunding of the bonded debt will probably be taken up, which would not be done if annexation is not to take place.

The present bonds draw 6 per cent interest, and can be taken up at any time. The entire debt can be refunded at from 4 to 4½ per cent by the present government.

There being no cable communication and the mails being so slow and so far apart, and information obtained by letter being at best unsatisfactory, President Dole determined to come to Washington and observe the conditions himself in order to guide him in making recommendations to the legislature.

An Error Discovered.

Washington, Jan. 15.—A clerical error in the resolution introduced by Senator Hoar in the senate changing the time for the inauguration of presidents from March until April, placed the date when the change should take effect in 1899, when it was Senator Hoar's intention that the date should have been 1901, which would extend Mr. McKinley's term for a little more than a month, instead of shortening it, as would have been the result if the resolution as first introduced had become a law. Mr. Hoar afterward changed the resolution in accordance with his intention.

An Amendment Offered.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Senator Perkins of California introduced a bill amendatory of the act providing a civil government for Alaska, providing that all public lands not reserved in Alaska containing coal, lignite or mineral oil may be claimed and entered under the land laws; that locations not exceeding 640 acres may be located by any qualified mineral claimant; but the entry can be made only on discovery of coal, lignite or mineral oil on the location; and that the purchase price of land claimed under this act shall be $2.50 per acre.

Want Common Action.

Washington, Jan. 15.—As a result of conferences held within the last few days between the silver leaders of various parties it is understood that Chairman Jones of the Democratic national committee, Chairman Butler of the Populist national committee and Chairman Towne of the silver national committee will issue a joint manifesto the early part of next week with a view to securing common action by the three organizations in the political contest of 1898.

What North Carolina Furnishes.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Mr. John W. Fries, the North Carolina member of the banking and currency commission, said North Carolina furnished the country the great apostle of discontent, Colonel Leonidas Polk, and also the larger part of the output of cigarettes which are regarded as so harmful to the youth of the country.

A Penalty Attached.

Washington, Jan. 15. — The house committee on interstate and foreign commerce had the anti-scalping bill under discussion. An amendment was adopted imposing a penalty on railroads refusing to redeem unused portions of tickets.

Bill Favorably Reported.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The Lacey bill extending the homestead laws to Alaska and granting the right of way to railroads was favorably reported to the house from the public lands committee.

Thousands suffer from catarrh or cold in the head and have never tried the popular remedy. There is no longer any excuse, as a 10 cent trial size of Ely's Cream Balm can be had of your druggist, or we mail it for 50 cents. Full sizes 50 cents. ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

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More Red Corpuscles in Their Blood---Paine's Celery Compound.

Miss Frances E. Willard, who has been attending the world's convention of the W. C. T. U., says that better health for women is today a more urgent matter than woman's suffrage.

She says: "What women at present most need is a better supply of red corpuscles."

From every section of the country, from Maine to California, come well-attested reports of women, bloodless, dyspeptic, nervous, seriously run down, and in many cases so weak as to be bed-ridden, who have been enabled to resume their places in the family circle and in social life—healthy, ruddy, well-cured women, by the aid of that great blood-maker and health-maker, Paine's celery compound.

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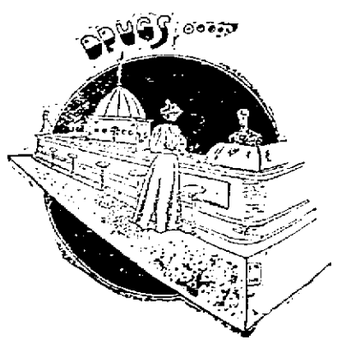

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FLAG TORN DOWN.

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THE FOREIGNERS DO NOT LIKE IT.

Latest Humiliation Occurred In Alaska Where Americans Planted the Stars and Stripes and Were Compelled to Haul the Emblem Down and Apologize to the "Blarsted Britishers."

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 15.—A letter has been received by Collector of Customs Milne from Skaguay in which it is alleged that Mr. Smith, United States commissioner for Dyea and Skaguay, claims a strip of land three miles down from the head of Lake Bennett, which is near the boundary as defined by the United States, and which would give the United States control of the territory from the coast to the lake.

The commissioner, the writer alleges, has ordered all locators of lots to have them recorded with him. A party of Americans, the writer says, followed the commissioner's direction by hoisting the American flag just below the police barracks, where the British flag was flying. The Canadian mounted police demanded an explanation, and after some parleying the flag was hauled down and an apology tendered.

The same letter contains information that Bernard Moore is having more trouble with settlers on land which he claims at Skaguay. Early in the present month, it is alleged, he turned out with an armed force and drove squatters off the land. It is also stated that some firing was done, but nobody was hurt.

They Ought to Know.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 15.—The directors of the National State bank of this city made the following statement regarding the report that the troubles of ex-Cashier Donaghoe were brought about through transactions with Russell B. Harrison of the Terre Haute Street Railway company: "The directors of the National State bank authorize the statement that the causes leading to the dismissal of Mr. Donaghoe in no wise involve business dealings with Mr. Russell B. Harrison or his road."

Dangerous Crooks Arrested.

Philadelphia, Jan. 15. — Four men who are suspected of being professional thieves of New York were arrested by detectives here while following a well known jewelry salesman who was visiting his "trade" with a satchel containing thousands of dollars worth of diamonds. All were plentifully provided with money, and carried loaded revolvers and a quantity of tools used by diamond and bank thieves. They resisted arrest and were only subdued at the pistol's point.

Couldn't Stop Him.

Topeka, Jan. 15. — J. C. McKibben, charged with having made counterfeit $5 bills while in the United States penitentiary at Leavenworth, was brought to Topeka by Deputy Marshal W. G. Neely. His term expired at the penitentiary Thursday, and he was at once rearrested on the charge of making counterfeit money in prison. He will be sentenced by Judge Foster.

An Important Meeting.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Nearly 600 coal miners and operators, representing Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Pennsylvania, will meet in joint convention in Chicago on Monday for the purpose of bringing about, if possible, the adoption of a wage scale and working agreement in order to prevent a general strike next summer.

Will Meet In Trenton.

Trenton, Jan. 15.—Right Rev. Bishop McFaul, who acted as arbitrator in the proceedings looking to a reunion of the two wings of the Ancient Order of Hibernians in the United States, has fixed upon Trenton, June 27, as the place and time for the holding of the national convention of the reunited organizations.

Movement of Warships.

Key West, Fla., Jan. 15.—The cruiser Detroit arrived here at midday from Haiti. The Montgomery has just arrived. She brought a barge from Tampa to be used in loading warships with coal which draw too much water to lie at the dock. The Marblehead left for Navassa island.

Drifting Barge Towed In.

Newport News, Va., Jan. 15.—After drifting aimlessly at sea for two weeks the barge Coal King, Captain Nelson, was towed into port by the tug C. W. Morse. The men on board suffered no inconvenience, being plentifully supplied with food.

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ALL WAS QUIET.

That Is What a Late Cable From General Lee Said.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Consul General Lee cabled the state department that all was quiet in Havana, and the dispatch was at once sent to the White House.

It went to confirm the previous reports, and was a simple statement by General Lee that at noon all was quiet in Havana.

One of the dispatches stated that there would be no objection to the presence in Havana of Mis Clara Barton of the National Red Cross, the authorities being ready to extend to her the same privileges as those given to any other citizen.

Spain Is Determined.

Madrid, Jan. 15.—It was pointed out at the cabinet council that the members of the new Cuban government had strongly protested against the attacks made by the Havana papers on the Spanish army. The cabinet resolved that the disorders in Havana should not affect the recent reforms. Strict military discipline will be enforced both here and abroad, and if necessary measures will be submitted to the cortes for reforming the army laws.

Has Some Spanish In It.

Havana, Jan. 15.—M. Molina, the chief of staff of the insurgent General Majia Rodriguez, has, it is announced, surrendered to the Spanish authorities. General Parrado has issued a manifesto announcing his willingness to do everything possible to bring about peace in the district of Sancti Spiritus, province of Santa Clara. It is announced from Spanish sources that Lieutenant Colonel Felix Tegon of the insurgent army has been killed.

Populists Have Adjourned.

St. Louis, Jan. 15. — The Populists concluded their work in this city by giving out the details of setting in motion the novel plan of taking a referendum vote of the rank and file of their party. The questions submitted are: "What date is your choice for holding a national convention for the nomination of presidential candidates—Monday, July 4, 1898; Friday, May 26, 1899, or Thursday, Feb. 22, 1900?"

Triple Murderer Hanged.

Richmond, Jan. 15.—Archey Lockely (negro), a triple murderer, was hanged at King and Queen courthouse. There was a large crowd at the courthouse, and the sheriff and his deputies had to produce pistols to prevent some of those present from forcing their way into the inclosure around the scaffold. Lockely made a full confession.

Suffocated by Smoke.

New York, Jan. 15.—In a fire which occurred at Thomas Roberts' hotel in West street, and which did $15,000 damage, Leslie Stanley and his wife were suffocated by smoke.

Woman Suffrage Wanted.

Albany Jan. 15.—A concurrent resolution was introduced in the assembly proposing a woman suffrage amendment to the state constitution.

Lewis Carroll Dead.

London, Jan. 15. — The Rev. C. H. Dodson, whose nom de plume was Lewis Carroll, the author of "Alice in Wonderland," is dead.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For Jan. 14.

NEW YORK.

Beef—Family, $10 00@11 50; extra mess, $9 00@9 50; packed, $8 50@9 50. Cut meats—Pickled bellies, 5@6c; pickled shoulders, 5@5½c; pickled hams, 7c. Lard—Western steam, $5 00. Pork—Old mess, $8 50@9 00.

Butter—Western dairy, 12@20c; creamery, 14½@20c; do factory, 11@15c. Cheese—State large, 8½@8¾c; small, 9¼@9½c; part skims, 4@4½c; full skims, 3@4c. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 20@22c; western fresh, 20c.

Wheat—$1 00⅞. Corn—34⅝c. Oats—28¾c. Rye—54¼c.

PITTSBURG.

Cattle—Choice, $4 90@5 00; good, $4 70@4 80; tidy butchers', $4 40@4 65; fair, $4 20@4 25; common, $3 25@3 60; heifers, $4 00@4 50; bulls, stags and cows, $2 00@3 70; fresh cows, $20@50.

Hogs—Yorkers, $3 75@3 80; mediums, $3 75@3 80; fair, $3 50; grassers, $3 40@3 45; heavy, $3 65@3 70; rough, $3 00@3 25; pigs, $3 70@3 75.

Sheep—Choice, $4 65@4 75; good, $4 50@4 60; fair, $4 10@4 40; common, $3 50@4 00; lambs, $5 75@5 85.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—Beeves, $3 90@5 40; cows and heifers, $2 10@4 50; Texas steers, $3 40@4 25; westerns, $4 00@4 80; stockers and feeders, $3 35@4 35.

Hogs—Light, $3 45@3 72½; mediums, $3 50@3 65; heavy, $3 45@3 72½; roughs, $3 40@3 45.

Sheeps and Lambs—Choice sheep, $4 25@4 50; fair, $4 20@4 40; common, $3 00@4 10; exports, $3 00; choice lambs, $5 75@6 00.

Wheat—91½c. Corn—26⅝c. Oats—22c. Rye—45c.

BUFFALO.

Cattle—Butchers', $4 15@4 25; shipping, $4 60@4 75; best steers, $4 85@5 10; good cows and heifers, $3 50@4 00; stockers and feeders, $3 40@4 25.

Hogs—Yorkers, $3 80@3 85; roughs, common to good, $3 10@3 35; mediums and heavies, $3 70@3 75; pigs, $3 60@3 65.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, extra, $4 65@4 90; good prime, $5 40@5 60; common, $2 60@3 75; choice lambs, $5 75@5 90.

CLEVELAND.

Hogs—Yorkers and lights, $3 70; mediums and heavies, $3 70; stags and roughs, $2 50@2 90.

Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $2 50@4 40; lambs, $4 00@5 65.

Cattle—Steers, $3 75@4 50; heifers, $4 00@4 25; cows and bulls, $2 25@3 50.

CINCINNATI.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 93c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 29c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 25c. Rye—46c.

Lard—$4 60. Bulk meats—$4 60. Bacon—$5 50.

Hogs—$3 00@3 70. Cattle—$2 25@4 65. Sheep—$2 95@4 65.

TOLEDO.

Wheat—90½c. Corn—27½c. Oats—22½c. Rye—46c. Cloverseed—$3 15.

BALTIMORE.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 22c. Eggs—Fresh—18c.

ESSENCE OF NEWS.

Items of Interest Prepared Especially For Busy Readers.

Two wiretappers were arrested in Cincinnati.

Ex-Senator Tabor has been appointed postmaster at Denver.

Cablegrams are not allowed to be published in Havana until 12 hours after their receipt.

All agents doing work for the New York Life Insurance company in Kansas are to be prosecuted.

The senate committee on privileges and elections reported adversely to seating H. W. Corbett as senator from Oregon.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $239,715,866; gold reserve, $162,188,808.

Notes.

The house committee on the judiciary has recommended the appointment of an additional judge for Texas.

The vice president and Mrs. Hobart entertained the president and Mrs. McKinley at a beautifully appointed dinner of 20 covers.

The house committee on public lands has made a favorable report on the Arkansas claims settlement bill, with what is known as the Meiklejohn amendment.

Assistant Secretary of the Interior Davis holds that the members of Captain Pollard's company V, Fourth Missouri volunteers, Black Hawk war, are pensionable under the law.

Civil Engineer Menocal, now with the Nicaragua canal commission in Nicaragua, has been ordered home to explain, if he can, the alleged shortcomings of the work upon the New York drydock.

An Increase Shown.

Baltimore, Jan. 15. — The approximate earnings of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company for December, 1897, were $2,312,541, which is an increase of $134,739 over the actual earnings of December, 1896.

Willing to Arbitrate.

London, Jan. 15.—A manifesto of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers recites the engineers' contentions, and says they are willing to arbitrate the question of hours of work.

DO IT YOURSELF.

You can tell just as well as a physician whether your kidneys are diseased or healthy. The way to do is to take a bottle or glass tumbler, and fill it with urine. If there is a sediment—a powder like substance—at the bottom after standing a day and night, there is something wrong with the kidneys. Another sure sign of disease is a desire to urinate often, and still another sign is pain in the back. If urine stains linen, there is no doubt that the kidneys are affected.

Any and all diseases of the kidneys, liver, bladder and of the urinary passages and constipation of the bowels are cured by Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. There is no question about its being the best and surest medicine in the world for such troubles. It quickly relieves and cures inability to hold urine, and people, young or old, who take it are not compelled to get up a number of times during the night. For putting an end to that scalding pain experienced in passing urine, nothing is so good as Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. It corrects the bad effects of whiskey and beer; is pleasant to the taste, and does not seem to be medicine at all. Diseases of the kidneys and bladder often require the use of instruments to push back the sandy matter so the urine can be voided. In such cases Favorite Remedy should be taken without further delay or the disease may prove fatal. It is sold for one dollar a bottle at all drug stores. It is well worth many times its price.

Samples Free.

If you wish to test Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy before buying it, send your full post office address to the Dr. David Kennedy Corporation, Rondout, N. Y., and mention this paper. We will then mail you a sample bottle free, as well as circulars giving full directions for its use. Every reader of the Times can depend upon the genuineness of this liberal offer, and all sufferers from kidney troubles should take advantage of it at once.

Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Gastritis, and all Stomach Disorder's positively cured. Grover Graham's Dyspepsia Remedy is a specific. One dose removes all distress, and a permanent cure of the most chronic and severe cases is guaranteed. Do not suffer! A 50 cent bottle will convince the most skeptical.

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"Mystic Cure" for rheumatism and neuralgia radically cures in one to three days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious. It removes at once the cause and the disease immediately disappears. The first dose greatly benefits. 75 cents. Sold by Wurster Bros., druggists, Portsmouth, O.

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Farmer Hopkins' Evidence.

HE TELLS ABOUT THE SUFFERING OF HIS DAUGHTER.

A Victim of Nervous Prostration and Neuralgia, Saved After Her Physician Abandoned Hope.

From the Republican, Columbus, Ind.

While in the neighborhood of Rugby, Indiana, recently, a reporter was told that Miss Clara Hopkins, daughter of Mr. Dennis Hopkins, a prominent farmer of Bartholomew County, had been the subject of a remarkable transformation. The reporter decided to investigate and learn the particulars. He was driven to Mr. Hopkins' splendid country home, where he had an interesting conversation with that gentleman regarding the illness of his only daughter.

"You have been correctly informed," said Mr. Hopkins, "for Clara has indeed had a severe siege. She tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and they did her more good than all other medicines together that she ever took. A few boxes of that medicine accomplished the cure of a case in a few months which had baffled physicians for years.

"About three years ago her health began to fail. The doctor who attended her said this was caused by weak digestion. This produced nervousness, which was accompanied by neuralgic troubles, which at first was located in the nerves about the heart. Of course this was a dangerous location for any such trouble, and she rapidly grew worse, notwithstanding that the physician was treating her. This continued till a year ago last November, at which time she was almost constantly confined to her bed.

"The neuralgia became gradually worse, and finally she was a confirmed victim to it.

"Nervous prostration set in, and she was soon all run down. Her blood was impure and watery, and her complexion became sallow and colorless. She had no strength, and the least noise irritated her, she was so nervous. We had another physician, and he treated her steadily for a year without doing her any good. In fact, it seemed that she was continually becoming worse. He finally gave up the case as hopeless, and advised us to get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People for her, as he said that they were the only thing that would benefit her.

"I procured a couple of boxes of the pills, and found that their use helped her considerably. She kept on taking them till she used about a dozen boxes, with the result that she was entirely well, and since then there has been no symptoms whatever, of her old trouble. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are certainly a wonderful medicine, which did a wonderful good in Clara's case, doing what several physicians failed to accomplish."

All the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves are contained, in a condensed form, in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of whatever nature. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold in boxes (never in loose bulk) at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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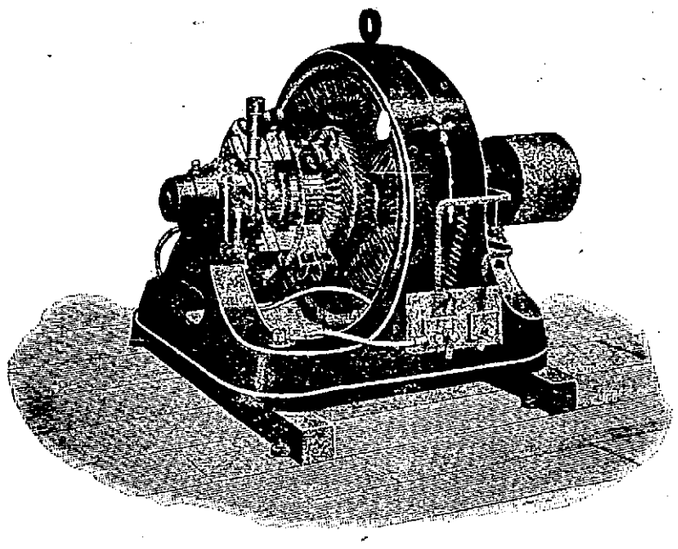

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A RECEIPT

Figures Prominently in an East End Law Suit.

Developments of a Sensational Nature Are Expected in a Few Days.

Frank Trende Claims That O. Weghorst Gave Him a Receipt for $320 Paid and Mr. Weghorst Denies That He Ever Gave the Receipt or Received Any Money—An Interesting Law Suit.

There was an interesting trial in 'Squire Cole's court, in the East End, yesterday. The parties interested were O. Weghorst, formerly in the grocery busines here, and Frank Trende. Weghorst sued Trende for $300, balance due, and Trende in turn sued Weghorst for $200 damages for alleged breach of contract.

Mr. Weghorst and Mr. Trende some time ago arranged to engage in the brick business in the East End. The agreement between the men was of a decidedly lop-sided character. Trende was to go ahead and manufacture the brick and Weghorst agreed to furnish the capital. At the time Weghorst had a grocery on Clay street. Trende drew on him for cash and sent employes to him for groceries to extent of $790. Then Mr. Weghorst got tired of the brick business and declined to furnish any more capital. From brick which he secured he realized $490 and then sued for the balance.

The case was tried to a jury consisting of John Hogan, John Conley, Philip Nole, Wm. Mickiethwait and Gib Stewart. When the case was heard Trende sprung a receipt for $320, which he alleged had been paid by him to Mr. Weghorst. He said the money was paid and the receipt given Monday, August 23rd, at Mr. Weghorst's store on Clay street.

Mr. Weghorst stated positively on the witness stand that Mr. Trende had never paid him any money and vehemently denounced the receipt shown as a forgery. He showed that on the day the receipt was alleged to have been given he closed his store and spent the day with his son, Lou Weghorst, on Jefferson street. This was shown by a receipt for money which Lou had loaned his father that day. The jury did not go behind the receipt though, and on the strength of it awarded Mr. Ternde one cent damages.

Mr. Weghorst informed a Times reporter that he did not intend to allow the matter to rest. He still denies that he ever gave the receipt and has arranged to bring such action against Trende as will either compel him to prove the authenticity of the signature or put him in an uncomfortable position. Sensational developments may result. Mr. Ternde, however, maintains that the receipt is all right.

Stockholders Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of thbe Co-operative Grocery company will be held at the store, corner of Ninth and Findlay streets, Monday evening, Januray 17th, at 7:30 o'clock. J. W. DODGE, Secy.

Sample line of baby caps, worth $1 00, for 50 cents, at Flora Dellert's.

Remember the performance of the "Veilchenfresser" at the Grand opera house January 21st, 1898. General admission 50 cents. No extra charge for reserved seats. Gallery, 25 cents.

COWARD AND CAPTAIN.

Fright Kills One and High Resolve Saves the Other.

A story is told of a cowardly fellow lying behind a stump during an engagement, when a bullet knocked a chip from a stone near by.

The chip struck him in the forehead scarcely breaking the skin. The frightened fellow cried out that he was fatally wounded and rolled over in a faint from which he never came out.

A captain near by was found to have eight bullet wounds and when told in the hospital that he could't get well exclaimed, "Yes I will; give me good food and a little time to rest and by all the powers I'll be out of here. My little children need me and I would be a coward to die and leave them helpless." He got well and is a hale old man today and his children haven't forgotten him.

Mark the fact that the mind in the coward's case stopped the machinery of life and the mind in the captain's case kept the machinery going, when skilled physicians aid it musst stop.

Man becomes a God when the mind mounts to the altitude of high resolve, and by some occult process he, at that time, takes unto himself some of the power of the Infinite.

Let one apply this power when aches and ails of body threaten to overcome. It is a most valuable agent for good health. One should, however, combine good food with a good mind and if ails of any kind press their claims day by day, heed the protests of Nature before some incurable disease sets up in the body.

One of the first and most important steps to good health is to abandon the use of coffee, for it saps the vitality at the heart and stomach, the most important organs.

If coffee is hard to give up, one can get on very handsomely with Postum Food Coffee and will shortly find a pronounced improvement in health. The happiest man or woman is not the richest or most brilliant but the healthiest, because such most nearly serve God by keepinig their bodies in conformity to the beautiful, perfect working model built by the Creator.

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They raise pretty well once or twice, and then, losing their strength, fail, and so waste good butter, flour, eggs, sugar, time and temper.

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THE WEATHER PROPHET.

Ohio.—Rain or snow; clearing tonight; fair Sunday; much colder.

AT LAST

The Time Is Near at Hand When Lawrence Neudoerfer Will Embark on the Matrimonial Sea.

On Wednesday of next week, at 10 o'clock a. m., at Clifton, W. Va., Mr. Lawrence Neudoerfer will be married to Miss Lizzie Billingsley, of that place. This event has been expected for a long time, but Lawrence has succeeded in keeping the exact date a secret until last evening. While asleep and dreaming aloud the information was given, and when a Times reporter called the turn on him he 'fessed up. Miss Ann Daehler and Miss Maggie Neudoerfer will leave Tuesday morning to be present to witness the ceremony. Immediately after the wedding the party will take the C. & O. F. F. V. for a Western trip. The many friends of Lawrence well know when he returns, and he will soon learn they have the information, for they will greet him a-plenty.

TUESDAY NIGHT

The Annual Banquet of the Opera House Company Will be Given.

The employes of the opera house will be entertained with a banquet by Manager Grimes next Tuesday night after the James Young performance. This is one of the pleasantest features of local opera house life to which those connected with the house look forward to with great pleasure. The custom was inaugurated by Mr. Grimes several years ago. Opera house employes will please consider this as an invitation and all be on hands.

OBITUARY.

WEBB.

Mrs. Ann Webb died at her residence, 138 East Front street, Friday afternoon. Mrs. Webb was seventy years old, having lived the greater part of her life in this city. The infirmities of old age were the cause of her death. She leaves three sons and three daughers, all living in this city. The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock, at the residence.

VERY POINTED

Is the News in Referring to the Blade's Slur on the Blaine Club.

A slur was cast upon the Blaine club by a correspondent of the Blade in describing the scenes at the inaugural. He pictured the club as being lost in the shuffle, marching as far as the Candy kitchen, where they dropped out and partook of a good, square meal. The News can say that the members of the club who attended paid for what meals they got, and did not go upon the cars at the mercy of a capitalist who had clipped off a coupon and sent men up like a lot of sheep.—The News.

They Worried Him.

Marshall Schmitt had considerable trouble Friday before he landed the Cropper and Graham boys at the Industrial school at Lancaster. The boys tried in every way to escape. The Graham boy slipped the handcuffs off once and came near getting out of reach of the marshal. The boys will not stay long at Lancaster, if they are given half a chance to escape.

Sale of Personal Property.

Frank B. Finney, assignee of George L. Minch, a farmer living near Lucasville, is selling the personal property, included in the assignment today. There is a large amount of it, consisting of corn, hay, farming implements, horses, cattle, sheep and hogs. Several buyers from the city are in attendance.

Did you? If not, you ought to buy a pair of Lehman's good shoes for wet weather.

James Young Advance Sale Tonight.

The advance sale of seats for the engagement of James Young Tuesday night will open tonight at White's, at half-past 6 o'clock, standard time. Prices are $1.00, 75, 50, 35 and 25.

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First, we wish to state to you that the Parisian Cloak and Novelty Co., No. 75 West Second street, are going to sell every Jacket, Cape and Reefer they have in the house. They have put the price on every wrap so low that you can't help from buying it.

Second—We are going to name you a few prices here that we ask you kindly to consider and consider it well, because the prices on the garments would not pay for the cloth, much less the making of it.

Here is a Cloth Cape trimmed with fur and braid for 50c.

A Beaver Cloth Double Cape, fur and braid trimmed for $1.25.

Extra good quality of beaver cloth double cape, collar and top cape trimmed with thibet fur, worth $4 50 *for* $2.50.

Another cape of beaver cloth, only jetted and braided, $2.50.

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Astrakhan cloth jackets all silk lined, you would have considered them cheap at $8 *a month ago, in this sale for* $5. *Another Astrakhan cloth jacket, satin lined and trimmed with Kersey cloth straps goes also at* $5 00.

A strictly all wool Kersey cloth jacket for $5 co.

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Reefers at 75c, $1.25, $1.50 $2.00 and $2.50, the greatest values you have ever seen.

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You will find here a greater variety and at less price than can be found elsewhere. We call especial attention to 25 styles of

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Wool effect at 10c a yard. It will save you several dollars if you select your spring gown now.

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Fine Cambric or Percale for waists, wrappers, dresses. 58 styles of these fine 36 inch fast color goods just received. Early buyers will find a beautiful line to select from. On Muslins, Calicoes, etc, we are making some interesting prices. Same may be said of Jackets and Capes.

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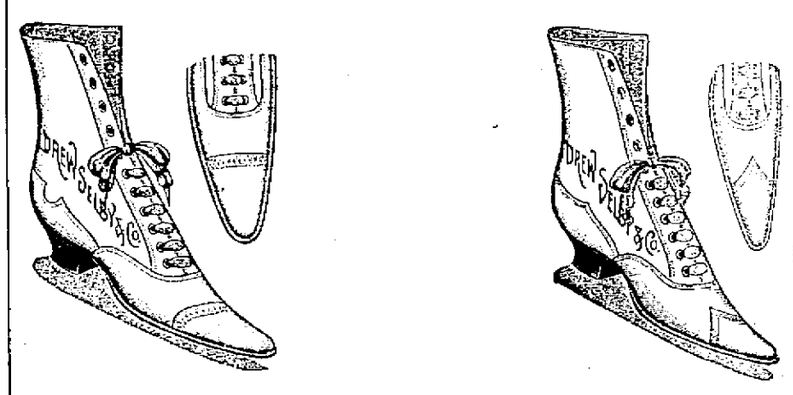

LADIES' WELT SHOES.

We find we have too many Ladies' heavy soled goods and have reduced the price on four lots which we describe below. If you are interested you had better come at once before the sizes are broken. These goods are late styles and are therefore new fresh goods.

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Ladies' Box Calf Lace Shoes, welt soles, double sole and invisible cork soles, new coin toes, former price $3.00, now $2.50.

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Lot 3

Ladies' Russian Calf Lace Shoes, welt soles, new coin toes, former price $2.50. now $2.25.

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